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COMMENT OF THE DAY

Science vs Myth

POOR old Kipling. His "Just So" stories which have been a children's classic for years are now thought to be potentially damaging to a child's outlook. And in an age where science and scientific achievements have acquired an unprecedented ascendancy in the minds of men—and alas, children too—there is no place for myths, charming and delightful as they are.

The world knows, of course, of the dangers of myths. The last war grew out of one—Hitler's mistaken concept of the Aryan master race. The myth of the Old Testament led divine up to two centuries ago to accept the date of the Creation as 9 a.m. on October 23, 4004 B.C. And the difficulty of reconciling the Genesis story of the creation with the theories of Darwin and others has troubled Christians right up to the present day. Yet now science tells us that man's ancestry can be traced back to fish.

Supernatural

IT was a myth that fettered Europe of the Middle Ages to a belief that to sail over the horizon was to plunge to doom over a waterfall. And primitive people today explain power harnessed by man in terms of the supernatural. Never was there a greater need to demystify the world. And for the protagonists of this idea the pendulum is clearly swinging in their favour. Yet there are dangers too in treating children like adults, which is implied by those like the critic of Rudyard Kipling's "Just So" stories who seeks to revolutionise the "national" pattern of education. One of the joys of a child's life is the world of make-believe. When the mind is not capable of understanding facts, imagination bridges the gap between curiosity and satisfaction. To tell a child that a giraffe's long neck is due to an inexplicable mutation (which in turn necessitates explaining between genes and chromosomes) is hardly whetting its appetite to probe deeper into the wonders of the world.

Childish Things

ST Paul wrote: When I was a child I spoke, understood and thought as a child, but when I became a man I put away childish things. Is not this the enduring answer to a problem that is essentially as old as the world itself? For though there is a lot to be said for satisfying childish inquiries with as many facts as they are capable of understanding, this emphasis can be carried too far. It is bad enough having to tolerate precocious, priggish and lumpy children talking parrot fashion like a school text book, but when this leads to an appeal to overthrow Kipling because of his "gooseberry bush approach" to science, does not then Alice stand in danger of a similar fate because of her unscientific Wonderland, and Peter Pan, because children cannot really fly, and Christopher Robin... for... whoever heard of a talking Pooh Bear?

ANTI-NOISE CAMPAIGN BOGGED DOWN BY

Snoring!

London, Aug. 31. London's Paddington Hospital reported today that the anti-noise campaign has been bogged down by the snoring of patients.

An article in the Medical Magazine, "The Hospital's Complaints and the Unpleasant Side of the Bed," reported that the hospital's complaints and the unpleasant side of the bed were the main cause of the anti-noise campaign being bogged down.

equipment. But it failed to diminish the decibel count of the simple more. It pointed out that snoring is a serious problem in hospital wards. It prevents sleep of patients whose recovery may depend on proper rest, and it irritates nerves and causes squabbling among patients.

The article deplored the fact that the medical profession has tended to look upon snoring as more of a medical joke than a problem for serious investigation. It is therefore recommended that the medical profession should know that the King's Fund (for hospitals) is conducting an experimental investigation of the subject.—U.P.I.

RACE RIOTS AGAIN IN LONDON

Hospital & Surgeries Work Overtime As Families Leave Homes

London, Aug. 31.

Gangs of white and coloured youths armed with sticks, cudgels, iron bars and knives fought out a pitched battle in West London's Notting Hill district tonight. Squads of extra police raced into the area as bitter inter-racial riots broke out for the second night running. On Saturday police broke up a series of brawls.

UK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT FOR ITALY

Geneva, Aug. 31.

The British nuclear power plant company tonight signed a \$10 million contract to supply a nuclear power station to Italy.

The contract, for a 200 megawatt reactor, was signed tonight in a Lausanne hotel by Signor G. Martinoli, President of the Italian Societa Italiana Meridionale Energia Atomica (SIMEA), and Mr. A. M. J. Savoy, Director and General Manager of the nuclear power plant company.

The power station is to be built at a site, about 40 miles south of Rome. It will supply sufficient light and heat for 100,000 people.—Reuter.

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AMERICAN WARNING

Taipei, Sept. 1.

The U.S. Army Secretary, Wilbur Brucker, warned today that it would "become" the Chinese to underestimate the statements made by President Eisenhower and the Secretary of State Mr. John Foster Dulles, last week warning against operations on the offshore islands.

"It would ill-become anyone, particularly the Communists, to underestimate the force of their expressions and to toy with what they said."

Mr. Brucker told a news conference in the Ministry of Defence building here: "In my opinion, if the Communists should see fit to spurn the very fair warning of the President and the Secretary of State, they could expect that the warning not being heeded would be considered by my Government and people as flying in the face of their warning."

Mr. Brucker declared that the "Communists must not upset the peace of this area, for if they do they will be underestimating the word and expression of the Government of the United States."—U.P.I.

Broken bottles and half-bricks were thrown at police cars and vans as the officers moved into the centre of the trouble area.

At first a fight developed between 10 coloured people and seven whites. Then it spread, until more than 400 people were involved. An elderly woman was knocked down by the mob and a boy of 10 was coshed in the mouth with a broken bottle.

Bars & Knives
A gang of about 100 youths armed with sticks, iron bars and knives assembled under the dark railway arches by Latimer Road tube station.

At the height of the trouble one man was stabbed in the shoulder and another was slashed across the neck. Ambulances ferried the injured to hospital. Later police arrested 18 persons—four of them coloured.

They were taken to Notting Hill Gate police station and charged with offences ranging from causing grievous bodily harm to obstructing the police. Hospitals and doctors' surgeries in the area were working overtime. Clangmen of all denominations donned cassocks and spread through the district pleading for an end to hostilities and urging everybody to go.

Very Ugly

A police officer said: "I've never known such a charged atmosphere. The scenes here tonight have been very ugly."

Several white families evacuated their homes, leaving coloured tenants in a state of virtual siege. Pat Findlay, his wife Nora and three children left their Lancaster Road home at the first sign of trouble. They were still wandering the streets at midnight, too scared to return home. "My money's at home," Findlay said. "But so are some coloureds and I dare not go back."

Tonight, police officers prepared to patrol every street in the Notting Hill Gate area with squad cars until morning. Residents lined the roads as policemen walked in file down the streets, breaking up the crowds.

A temporary police headquarters was set up in a police car in Bramley Road, where the trouble began.

Shout Threats

Hundreds of youths roamed the streets in Teddy-boy outfits. They jeered and shouted threats whenever they saw a coloured person.

Others, in bands of 50, waited silently outside houses in which negroes are known to live. The streets swarmed with police officers as hundreds of residents watched from their windows.

Tonight's disturbances followed an uneasy week of tension between sections of white and coloured folk in several British cities, erupting in brawls and street fights in Nottingham and London.

In Nottingham today, police brought charges against 24 people after a night brawl in the district where white and coloured people clashed last weekend.

Hundreds of people milled through the streets there last night throwing firecrackers and flares. Angry groups turned from words to blows as police moved in to make a string of arrests.

Behaviour

But Nottingham's Police Chief, Captain A. Popkess, declared that the city's coloured folk had behaved in an exemplary way, keeping clear of the trouble area. In Notting Hill Gate last night police broke up a series of brawls which broke out between an angry crowd of 200 white and coloured people. They made four arrests.

On Saturday London magistrates sent nine white youths for trial charged with wounding and assaulting coloured people on an alleged "beating up" raid through West London last weekend.—Reuter & U.P.I.

SORAYA IV



CAR CRASH

Baden-Baden, Aug. 31. Princess Soraya, former Queen of Iran, escaped unhurt in a minor auto accident near this resort city today. The former Queen of Iran was out for a car ride to Deidesheim in the wine-growing province of Rhineland-Palat. On the way back to Baden-Baden, Soraya's car hit another automobile. No persons were hurt and only minor damage was reported. She was involved in a similar minor accident near Cologne last June, but was also unhurt then.—U.P.I.

May Close School

Little Rock, Aug. 31. Gov. Orval E. Faubus said today he "probably" will close Central High School if it is integrated and he finds closure necessary. He said he would not "close" the school if it is "peaceful and quiet" and the community is "happy."—U.P.I.

TERRORISTS STRIKE IN FRANCE



FIVE petrol tanks of the Maureplane depot near Marseilles were set on fire after a terrific explosion had shaken the entire section. Arab terrorists who had committed a series of outrages throughout France recently are believed to have been responsible for the outrage. Photo shows five appliances alongside the blazing petrol storage tanks in Marseilles.—Keystone Photo.

Foot To Fly To London This Weekend

UK'S CYPRUS PLAN TO BE IMPLEMENTED WITHOUT GREEKS?

London, Aug. 31.

Sir Hugh Foot, Governor of Cyprus, is to come to London at the end of this week, it was stated here today.

During his visit, he will continue discussions on the political future of the island begun during the recent visit to Nicosia of British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan.

A Nicosia report stated the discussions are expected to concentrate on the possibility of implementing the new British plan for Cyprus in face of its rejection by Greece.

United Nations

Political quarters in Nicosia believe that the talks will deal with the problems raised by the Greek rejection and the Turkish acceptance of the plan and by the question of the island's future at the United Nations.

By the time Sir Hugh begins his talks in London, the EOKA force will have lasted just over a month. Political quarters in Nicosia think it will be one of the Government's immediate tasks to decide whether the period of peace can be considered promising enough for them to allow Archbishop Makarios to return to Cyprus.

Another decision which has to be faced is whether the British plan should be implemented, as promised in Mr. Macmillan's announcement earlier this month—as from the beginning of October.

Archbishop Makarios in Athens and EOKA in Cyprus have both stated that the implementation plan will be opposed by Cypriots by every means.

U.K. Accepts U.S. Proposal On Iceland Dispute

London, Aug. 31.

Shortly before a hour of an armed conflict between Britain and Iceland over fishing rights in Icelandic waters, it was revealed officially today that the British Government had accepted an American proposal aimed at avoiding any incidents between ships of the two countries.

The exact terms of this "line of action" strongly recommended by the United States, were not revealed, but official British sources said that the commanders of the Royal Navy escort vessels had been ordered to avoid any action which might be interpreted by the Icelanders as provocation.

The British Government, these sources added, accepted this suggestion on condition, the Icelanders did the same.

Danish Plan

Other sources here said today that the British Government was ready to accept the Danish plan to continue immediately the negotiations begun and broken off within the framework of NATO, at the level of ministers, (but not foreign ministers), or of experts.

In the meantime, Britain was seeking a modus vivendi, or "temporary solution" aimed at stabilising the situation.

The Government, however, announced today that "in default of an agreement or modus vivendi, they must preserve the rights of British fishing vessels on the high seas."—France-Press.

Icelandic Gunboats Sail With UK Fleet

Aboard British Fishing Fleet off Iceland, Sept. 1. As Iceland's ban on fishing within 12 miles of her coast came into force today, Reuter correspondents with this fleet reported that all trawlers and their warship guards were on the alert for Icelandic gunboats, and maintaining close touch.

George Bishop, Reuter's special correspondent aboard the Coventry City, radioed: "We are cruising under a heavy full moon about nine miles from the shore of Iceland."

"The frigate Russell is close to us, and we can see five other British trawlers nearby. Also near us is the Icelandic patrol vessel Aegir. She has been here since she circled us at seven p.m."

Will Resist

"If men from Aegir attempt to board us, or other trawlers, the British crews will resist—but they have been told not to use firearms or undue violence, we shall call for help to the Russell."

From the frigate Eastbourne, Reuter's special correspondent John Chadwick reported that two British trawlers had sighted Icelandic gunboats, while other ships reported low flying aircraft.

Earlier, the Royal Navy had flashed this zero hour message to the defiant trawlers within the 12-mile belt: "Watch for darkened ships or boats approaching you, and tell us immediately."

The message was sent from the 1,600-ton Russell, one of four British fishery protection vessels guarding about 100 British trawlers in the area.—Reuter.

QUEMOY GROUP POUNDED AGAIN

Taipei, Sept. 1.

Communist batteries in the Amoy area fired a total of 145 rounds from midnight to 5.40 a.m. today.

Taiwan and Lihya (Little Quemoy) were the targets of 105 rounds in the first session ending at 5.24 a.m.

The question of United States logistic support for Chinese Nationalist garrisons on the offshore islands is at the centre of the talks which have been held between top US and Chinese military authorities, informed sources said today.

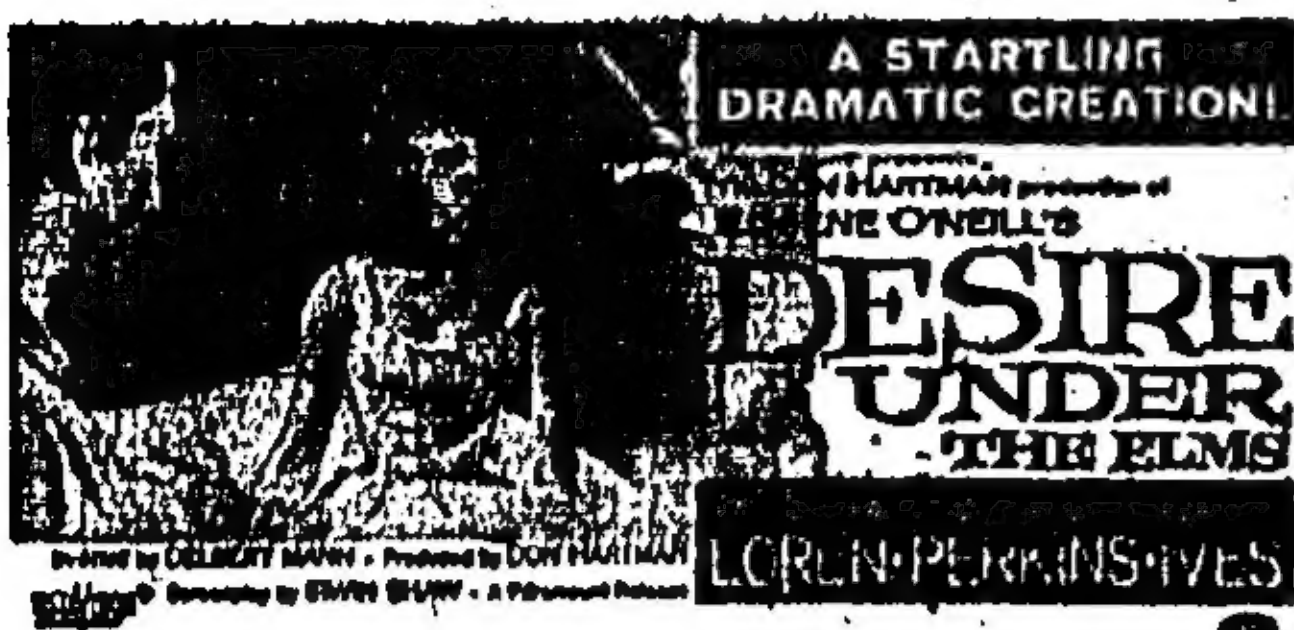
Importance

Pointing out the importance of this subject, the sources said that if the US decides not to intervene in the event of a Communist attack against the islands, the extent of Nationalist resistance to Communist forces will depend on the material aid given by the US besides ensuring a regular flow of supplies. The US would also have to provide modern equipment.

KING'S PRINCESS

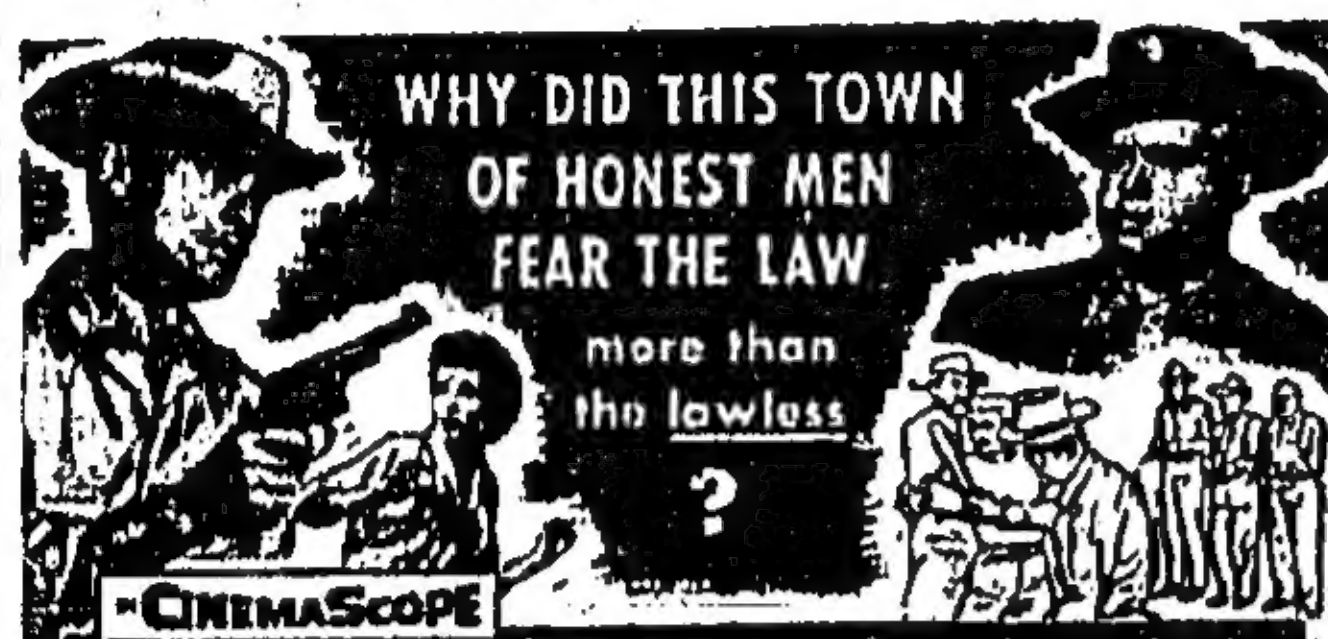
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MAN HUNT

SUBMARINES —THE BIG THREAT TO BRITAIN

Bournemouth, Sept. 1.

Mr Tom Yates, 62-year-old general secretary of the National Union of Seamen, in his presidential address to the Trades Union Congress here today said that while it was easy to pass resolutions denouncing nuclear weapons, disarmament had to conform to an international pattern.

"When it comes to negotiating," he said, "slogans and catch-phrases must never blind us to the stark fact that it is no good throwing away all our nuclear weapons or abandoning essential alliances if we are to leave in the hands of any single power, or group of powers, a tremendous preponderance of offensive weapons of any kind."

"Our island nation can be starved by submarines. In time of war they could knock us out just as effectively, though certainly more slowly, than a shattering bombardment of H-bombs."

"Disarmament can only be achieved if it starts with an objective appraisal of the relative strengths of the armed forces in the world today, and continues with a measured and comparable reduction of weapons by everyone."

Mr Yates, a former seaman, referred to another international issue — the problem caused by the rapid growth of shipping fleets operating under "flags of convenience."

Urgent

"This development," he said, "threatens the livelihood of all who sail in British ships and indeed in the ships of other traditional maritime countries as well."

"It goes further. It threatens the economic well-being of these countries, and particularly of these islands."

Mr Yates, after mentioning that British shipping's contribution to invisible exports was estimated at £300 million annually for dry cargo ships alone, said: "It is critically urgent that the government and all those concerned with shipping should, nationally or internationally, take measures to halt this erosion of an industry vital to this country and put British shipping into a position of competing on terms of parity. There is no more time to lose."

Callous

Dealing with the domestic front, Mr Yates accused the Government of deliberately and callously trying to create a pool of unemployment "bigger than at any time since the war."

Mr Yates said: "fewer jobs, stagnating production, higher prices—these are all good reasons why trade unions have no confidence in this government to act in the national interest."

"As a movement we have put the alternatives, the Government must act on them before the crisis deepens."—Reuter.

DISPUTE ENDS. ONE BISHOP IS EXPELLED

Amman, Aug. 31.
A three-year dispute between two Armenian bishops, which had split the 5,000 strong Armenian community here, came to an end yesterday when Bishop Tiran Norosyan was expelled from Jordan on a charge of Communist activity, it was learned today.

The change had been lodged by his rival, Bishop Yegheshil Dunderian.

Both bishops had contested the seat of the Armenian patriarchate of Jerusalem.

Bishop Norosyan, who had been expelled last January 30, but allowed to stay because of illness, was picked up by military authorities yesterday and placed aboard a plane bound for Beirut from Jerusalem airport.—France-Press.

In Lieu Of Wages!

Kuala Lumpur, Aug. 31.
The Ministry of Labour and Social Welfare has taken action against a Malayan employer who, in lieu of wages, gave workers the right to work 1,000 Malay Rubber Cycles.

Reason For Cynicism Of Youth: Priestley



PRIESTLEY—"No Doubt"

London, Aug. 31.

BRITISH author Mr J. B. Priestley told a campaign for nuclear disarmament meeting here tonight that "seven-tenths of the cynicism or angry frustration of the young people of today comes from the existence of nuclear weapons."

Nearly 300 persons attended the church hall meeting arranged for delegates to the annual conference of the Trade Union congress, which opens here tomorrow.

Mr Priestley told the meeting there was "no doubt" that a good deal of the apathy among people today was due to nuclear weapons.

"Just having these bombs around changes the character of the world," he said. "We can never get on with civilised living until we destroy them."—Reuter.

Grasshopper "Invasion" Of U.S. Is Beaten

Washington, Aug. 31.
United States officials announced today that by use of 100 airplanes and more than 130 wheeled vehicles, they have largely halted a grasshopper invasion which threatened crops over 5,000,000 acres in 10 states.

They said it was the worst grasshopper attack in the U.S. since 1940.

The United States has generally been more successful than most other countries in recent years in halting the ravages of this pest which roams many of the world's agricultural areas, including the Mid-East and some of Latin America.

GRAIN CROPS

An announcement by Agricultural Department officials today said that they had sprayed nearly 5,000,000 acres and thus "prevented significant damage from the insects to wheat and other small grain crops."

Two thousand workers engaged in the 10-state operation. They sprayed 4,830,000 gallons of mixed insecticides at an overall cost of \$2,000,000, the Agriculture Department said.—U.P.I.

SHIP ADRIFF

Sydney, Aug. 31.
The 4,000-ton post-war Islands trader vessel Sochow was adrift with engine trouble today on the northern New South Wales coast, about 250 miles south of Brisbane.

Engineers aboard the Sochow, which carries 60 crew members and 23 passengers, and general cargo, were striving to repair the engine while her sister ship, Fengling, steamed south from Brisbane to stand by as a precautionary measure.

The Sochow left Sydney yesterday for Port Moresby.—U.P.I.

ROK Chief Of Staff

London, Aug. 31.
The Chief of Staff of the Korean Army, General Sun Yup Puk, arrived in London by air tonight to begin a 10-day visit at the invitation of the British Government.

During his stay he will see military training and visit the Farnborough air display. Tomorrow he sees the Chief of the Imperial General Staff, Sir Gerald Templer.—Reuter.

EDEN'S NIECE "HAPPY" TO WED FERRYBOAT MECHANIC

TO BECOME ROMAN CATHOLIC AFTER MARRIAGE

Sichia, Italy, Aug. 31.
Miss Amelia Mary Eden, 25-year-old niece of Sir Anthony Eden, the former British Prime Minister, today said she was "very happy" as she prepared for her wedding next Sunday to Giovanni Borelli, a 10,000 lire (£5 15s) a week ferryboat mechanic.

Miss Eden, daughter of Sir Timothy Eden, said that she had known her husband-to-be for two years and that the marriage had the full approval of her parents.

The wedding ceremony will take place at noon in the parish church of Saint Anthony. Monsignor Antonio Cocco, Bishop of Ischia, will officiate.

There will be a small reception afterwards in a local restaurant named "Il Vaporetto Azzurro" (The Blue Steamship).

The couple will then settle down in a tiny, flower-decked bungalow opposite the home of her future father-in-law, Raffaele Borelli, a stonecutter, on the outskirts of the village of Casamicciola on the holiday island of Ischia.

Miss Eden, who is staying with her future in-laws here, first met her fiance while she was here on holiday. Last year she returned to Ischia and they met again. She has been here this time since August 10.

Speaking broken Italian, she helped prepare her new home with the assistance of Giovanni's three unmarried sisters—Maria, Rosa, and Nicoletta—as well as her own sister Miss Elfrida Eden.

After her marriage, Miss Eden will become a Roman Catholic.

After a month's honeymoon, her husband plans to return to his job in the engine room of the ferryboat Margellina, which plies between Naples, Ischia, and the island of Ponza.—Reuter.

LEND'S CRASH HELMET TO FRIEND: DIES

Gaydon, Aug. 31.
A motor-cyclist who died of head injuries had lent his crash helmet to his pillion passenger, it was stated at an inquest at Gaydon RAF Station, Warwickshire.

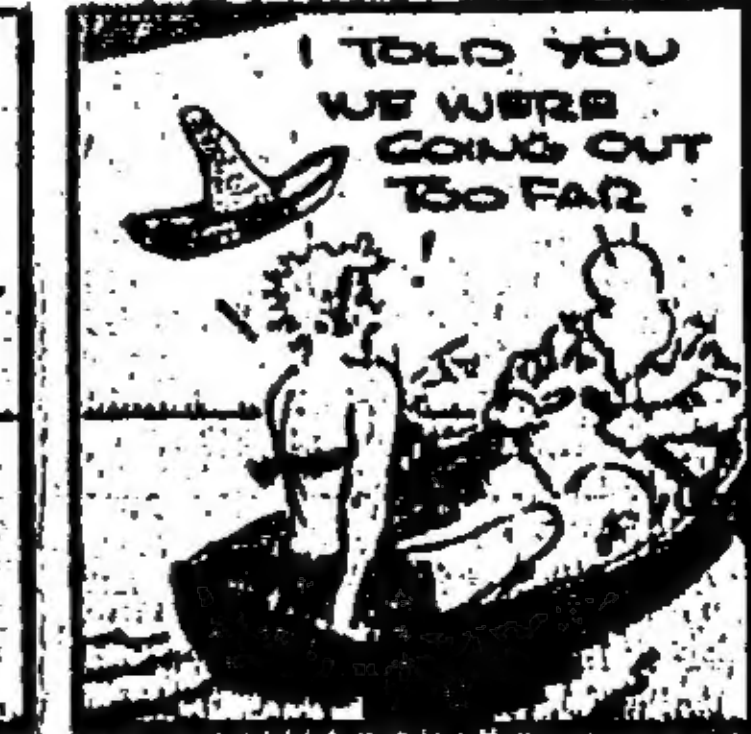
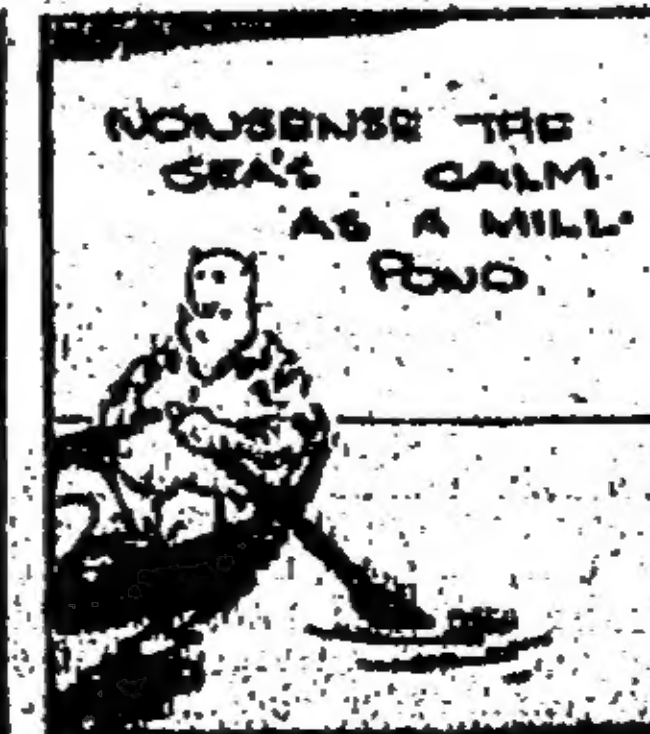
A verdict of accidental death was returned on Senior Aircraftman Michael John Martin, 20, whose home was at Hangleton Close, Hove, Sussex.

Senior Aircraftman Peter Collins said that leaving camp last Friday, Martin lent him his crash helmet. Martin had no protection.

While returning to camp the machine hit a bump and started to wobble. He remembered no more until he was sitting in the road.

P. C. Ronald Atherton said that Martin, who had been riding a motor-cycle, about two months, hit his head on a telegraph pole.—China Mail Special.

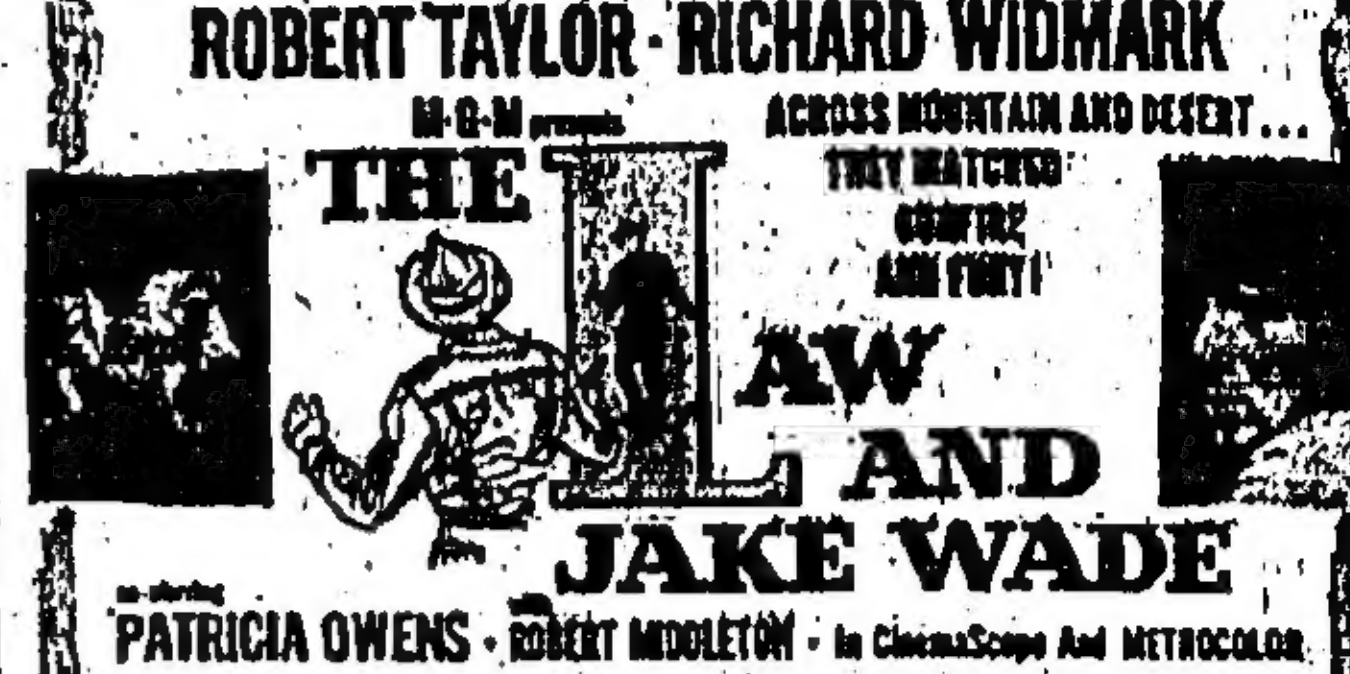
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When It Comes To Atoms For Peace

BRITAIN LEADS THE RACE

The Duty And Difficulty Of Not Quarrelling

London, Aug. 31. The Lambeth Conference report "will have done its work well if it makes everybody, Christians and non-Christians alike, think again about the duty and difficulty of being peace-makers," the Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Geoffrey Fisher, said tonight.

Dr. Fisher was speaking on "The key word of the conference was reconciliation—reconciling quarrelling churches, quarrelling peoples, quarrelling classes, and quarrelling husbands, wives and children," he said.

"In the report we offer to a world which has badly lost its way a clear line of advance, hard as all good things are, but marked out by the word and the wisdom of God,"—Reuter.

US AND USSR VOW TO CATCH UP IN THE END

Genova, Aug. 31. Great Britain took the spotlight at history's greatest atomic exhibition today by demonstrating that the U.K. is far ahead in large-scale construction of nuclear power plants.

American and Russian experts claimed that the British lead was due to economic need. The U.S. and U.S.S.R. experts, in agreement on policy, said they expect to win in the end the race to produce cheap electricity from the atom.

Atomic power exhibits for government and private builders, are being held in connection with the 68-nation International Atoms-for-Peace Conference opening in Geneva tomorrow.

The British commercial exhibit included a model of their Hinkley Point Reactor, which in 1960 will begin turning out enough electricity for a city of a million people. The biggest U.S. atomic plant under construction is only a third as large.

The British station is scheduled to produce power at just under a halfpenny per kilowatt-hour, far less than the world average, whereas power from the big consolidated Edison Plant in Connecticut will cost nearly a penny.

But Robert Fahler of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, in charge of the American Reactor display at the "Government exhibit" across town from the commercial show, said "we expect to beat the British cost in the end." Fahler said the American building programme is more "broadly based."

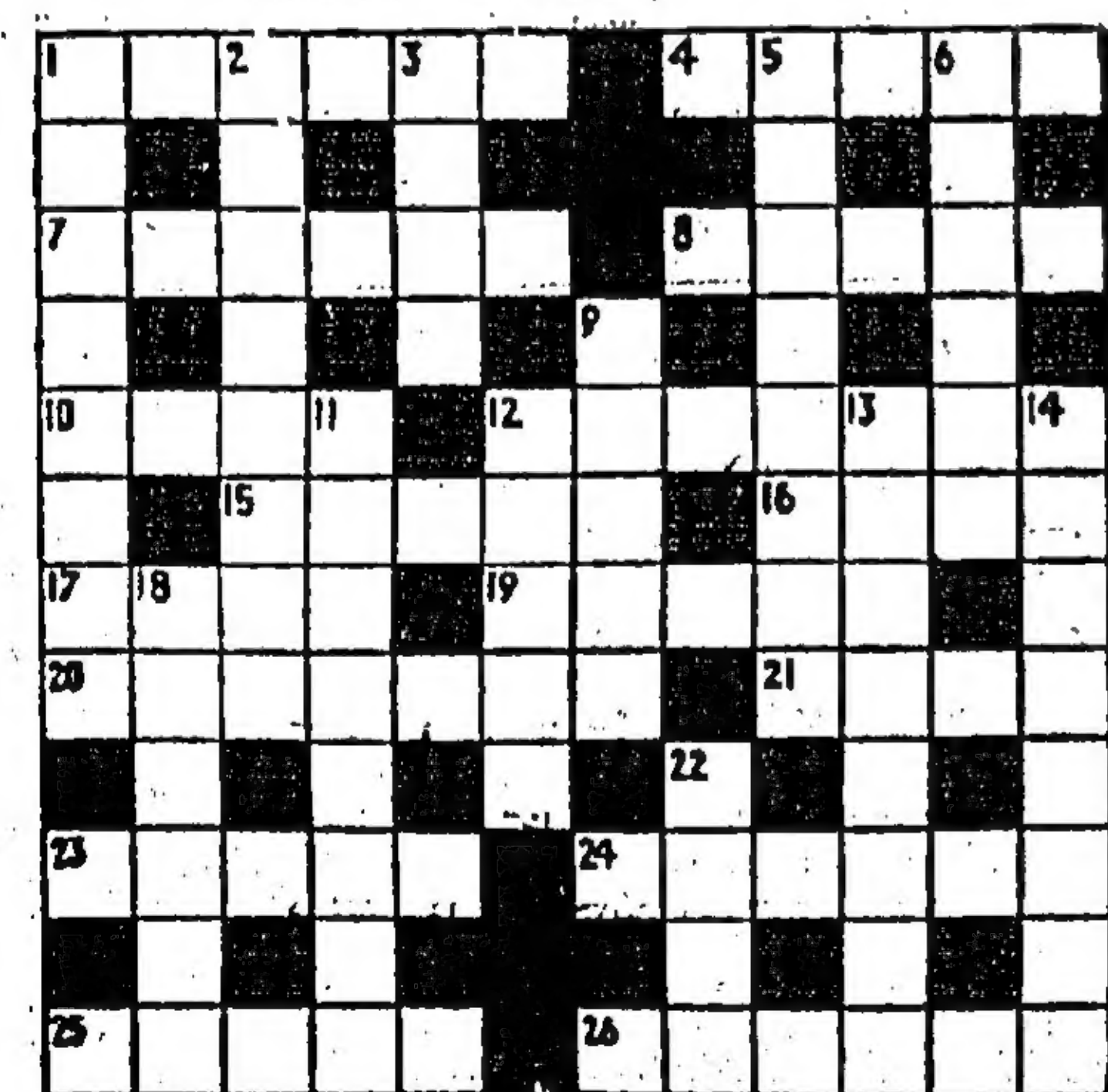
USSR Follows USA

Valentin Kalinin, in charge of the Russian government exhibit, said the Soviet Union's position is similar to that of the U.S.

"We are investigating many types of reactors to see which will produce the cheapest power. We have energy, and can afford to wait," Kalinin said.

Asked if he thought this approach would eventually produce the cheaper power and the greatest benefit to man, Kalinin said "Yes, of course." Kalinin refused to say which is the largest power plant the Soviets are building, but said that that would be revealed later in the conference.

A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
1. Makes more serious (6).
 2. Pig food (6).
 3. Tooth covering (8).
 4. Rolls or heels over (6).
 5. Sudden attack (4).
 6. Forecast the wine is finished? (7).
 7. Approaches (5).
 8. Guitar-like instrument (4).
 9. Stoppers for comedians (4).
 10. Mum's lost her head, to someone else (5).
 11. Flags (7).
 12. Disorderly old party (4).
 13. Country that may crack? (5).
 14. Vacation for M.F.s (6).
 15. Do business (5).
 16. A fellow in a suitably 22 (4).
 17. handsome (6).
- DOWN**
1. Catlike boat accommodation? (8).
 2. Both engineers and navigators fix them (6).
 3. Famous driver (4).
 4. The painter who pursued his lips? (6).
 5. Talent may be this, and often is (6).
 6. Vast crowds giving parties (6).
 7. A symbol indeed is carefully planned (8).
 8. Liable to be lying (5).
 9. Continental (6).
 10. They often look down in the mouth (6).
 11. May be weighed at sea (6).
 12. incline (4).

SATURDAY'S SOLUTION—Across: 3 Spotted, 8 Serial, 9 Dog-watch, 11 Unblinded, 12 Peer, 13 Tepid, 16 Rodco, 19 Rock, 22. Schering, 25. Altman, 26. steamers. Down: 1 Issue, 2 Crab, 3 Sadder, 4 Plo, 5 Town, 6 Britain, 7 Sphere, 10 Gaid, 14 Pouch, 15 Dower, 16 Arabia, 17 Cokora, 20 D-IV-on, 21 A-guy, 22 Stem, 23 Hear (-heart).

Tory Boss Sets Off For Canada



Pictured at Euston Station, London, last week is Lord Hailsham, chairman of the British Conservative Party, who was on the way to Canada where he was to be the guest of the Canadian Bar Association.—Central Press Photo.

PARTITION FOR AFRICAN TERRITORY URGED BY UN

United Nations, New York, Sept. 1. A three-man United Nations "good offices" committee said here tonight it believed a form of partition in South West Africa might provide a basis for agreement between the world organisation and the South African government.

It said that, under such an agreement, the Southern part of the territory would be annexed to the Union and the Northern part, containing the great majority of the African population, would be administered by the Union Government under a trusteeship agreement with the United Nations.

In a 22-page report which the Assembly is due to consider during its session opening later this month, the committee said it hoped the Assembly would encourage the Union Government to investigate the possibility of partition.

It stressed that this should be done on the understanding that if the investigation proved the idea was practicable, the Union Government should draw up precise proposals for submission to the U.N. If not, the Union should inform the U.N. and the matter would lapse.

South West Africa was formerly a German colony but South African Forces occupied it in World War I. At the end of the war the allied and associated powers authorised the Union Government to administer the territory, under a League of Nations mandate, as an integral part of her territory.

Incorporation

Certain safeguards, designed to protect the African population, were specified.

At the San Francisco Conference in 1945, which led to the establishment of the United Nations, South Africa indicated that she did not intend to transfer the territory to U.N. trusteeship but hoped instead to incorporate it in the Union.

In 1947 the South African Government decided that, instead of incorporation, South West Africa would have representation in the Union Parliament "as an integral portion of that body."

Since then the U.N. has sought repeatedly to bring the territory under its trusteeship and the Union Government has persistently refused.

A Way Out

It was to seek a way out of this deadlock that the "good offices" committee, under the chairmanship of Sir Charles Norrish, Arden Clark of Britain, held talks in Pretoria from June 13 to June 22.

Among the people with whom it discussed the matter were Mr. Eric Louw, South African Minister of External Affairs, Mr. G. P. Joubert, Secretary for External Affairs, and Mr. B. G. Faurie, Assistant

The Little War Of American Children Against The Rest

Rome, Aug. 31. A "cowboys and Indians" war between American and Italian children has ended with a truce and disarming of the "knife-carrying" Yanks, it was reported today.

The newspaper Il Tempo said that the truce was arranged at the advice of police who suggested that parents of children in the Vigna Clara district "disarm" their children.

Vigna Clara is a new luxury apartment area in the Northern suburbs of Rome.

Il Tempo said that parents of Italian, Swedish, French and other children in the area were alarmed at the antics of American lots who carried "real knives" for their war games.

Moreover, the American children always insisted on playing the parts of the "good" cowboys while the Italians and other foreigners had to play the constantly losing Indians.

The Indians were always "massacred."

Several days ago, Il Tempo said the "Indians" of all nationalities met and decided on a "showdown" with the Americans.

"Fortunately a mother heart of the plot and told the head porter to inform all the American mothers to disarm their children," Il Tempo said.

A little later, the police also made the same invitation, and so the war ended.—U.P.I.

"If You Want To Die... You Have Only To Ask" Said The Boy Friend

Birmingham, Aug. 31.

An 18-year-old girl still wished to marry her 16-year-old boy friend though he had stabbed her 21 times, the Birmingham Juvenile Court was told.

She maintained that she asked the youth to kill her as she wished to die when her mother refused consent to their marriage, it was alleged.

The couple ran away to Gretna Green, Scotland, where marriages are permitted at the age of 16, but were brought back. Then within the hour they would be "separated forever."

and the girl said she felt like killing herself the boy was alleged in a statement to have told her: "You have only got to ask me."

"I tried to kill her and I thought I had," the statement added.

He stabbed her with a table knife which he had brought with him. Then he followed her upstairs stabbing her with a pair of scissors.

The boy—names are not given in juvenile courts—admitted maliciously wounding the girl and was remanded in custody for three weeks for reports.—China Mail Special.

Communist Party Clamp Down On The Red Army

London, Aug. 30. Russia has sharply increased its campaign to subject the Red Army to tighter party supervision, Moscow reports revealed today.

The Soviet authorities have issued new orders for tighter discipline through more effective party indoctrination. The orders followed recent moves to bring the officers corps of the Red Army down from its hitherto privileged position.

The campaign, which began last year after the ouster of Marshal Georgi Zhukov, has been steadily built up in recent months and reached a new pitch recently.

Latest developments were spotlighted by criticism from Col. Gen. A. Golikov, head of the political administration of the Soviet armed forces, of "serious shortcomings" in the indoctrination work within the Red Army.

The Red Army has been under fire for its alleged lax discipline since Marshal Zhukov was removed for opposing the Communist party's decision to revive political controls over

the armed forces and the Stalin-type institution of political commissars.

Golikov was appointed shortly after Zhukov's downfall specifically to foster party indoctrination in the armed forces with the aim to subject the Red Army to complete and undisputed party control.

The Red Army under Zhukov had been gaining steadily in power and was becoming too strong and independent a force for party boss Nikita Khrushchev.

From Below

Golikov has now accused senior officers of recent criticism "from below." The Red Army, he warned in Pravda, could not tolerate lack of discipline.

Red Star, the army organ revealed earlier this month that high ranking officers of the Moscow military district had been reprimanded for allowing serious shortcomings in political work in the forces which had led to "broganisms, absenteeism and loose living among troops."

A project is under consideration presently to replace the courts of honour for officers offences with ordinary military courts without regard to rank.

Officers have been opposing this move which would, in effect, restore the Stalin-type "comradely courts" that were done away with at the outbreak

of World War II to boost officers morale.

Russia's Supreme Court in turn has called for a tightening of the judicial system for the armed Forces after criticising existing shortcomings in the army.

Golikov significantly attended the crucial meeting of the Supreme Court.

Special courses have since been introduced to push ahead with party indoctrination in the armed forces countrywide.

Soviet experts concluded from these developments that the party is out to reassemble the armed forces politically to remove any political threat from the Red Army.—U.P.I.

Murderers Of The Old

Bangkok, Aug. 31. Thai police have uncovered an alleged plot to kill old people by poisoning and collect their life insurance money.

Police sources said their discovery followed the death by poisoning of a 70-year-old man in Kanburi, western Thailand.

They said two men had brought a cake to the old man on the day of his death. The cake had been eaten by the old man and his dog and both had died.

Police enquiries had uncovered the fact that a man was leaving a large sum of money to his relatives to join cremation societies to pay their funeral expenses.

Police alleged that this man was paying the societies to collect the fee of 1,000 baht (about £15).

Often one old person was insured for as much as 3,000 baht, Police alleged.

They alleged that one man had already collected on five or six deaths. Police were now looking for him.—China Mail Special.

Algerian Underground Statement On Attacks In France

Cairo, Aug. 31. The Algerian underground organisation FLN said today that last week's attacks on petrol dumps in France were only a "first offensive" in its plan to carry to French soil the war for the liberation of Algeria.

The statement gave no indication of the targets of further "offensives."

Issued by the "committee of co-ordination and execution" of FLN, it said the committee had ordered the Algerian "commando" attacks in France on August 24 and 25.

The aim of the attacks, it added, was to "hit the petrol dumps used by the enemy air force" and to extend to France itself the war "methodically conducted by gallant FLN fighters" in Algeria.

Sahara Oil

The statement said the FLN had promised to destroy Sahara oil in France as it wished to render useless all investments aiming to exploit Algeria's wealth without the consent of "independent Algeria."

The offensive, it said, also demonstrated the falsity of French allegations that the war was at its close and was aimed at rousing the French people from their apathy concerning Algeria.

This apathy, the statement said, left "an open field for ultra-colonialists."

Murder Inquiries Shift To France

Denham, Aug. 31. Police inquiries into the murder of 31-year-old Mth Joyce Green switched today to France.

Scotland Yard asked Interpol, the international police organisation, to trace two French known to have been camping near this picturesque village 20 miles northwest of London when Mrs Green was murdered last Monday.

LOOKING FOR

They will be asked if they saw a man with a blue or black velvet jacket or a blacker with a green badge on his pocket, whom police believe can give them vital information.

And Mr. Joseph Green, 35-year-old husband of the murdered woman, today reconstructed the crime at the house where Mrs Green was found dead in her bed after a room-to-room battle with an intruder.—Reuter.

M. Pineau Fears The Temptation Of Dictatorial Power In France

Le Mans, France, Aug. 31. M. Christian Pineau, former French Socialist Foreign Minister, said here today he would vote against General de Gaulle's constitution when it is submitted to a national referendum on September 28.

Speaking at a reception, he said: "I do not pretend that the 1946 constitution was good, but that of 1958 is more difficult because it creates a conflict between the Executive Power and the Legislative Power. To those who say if General de Gaulle becomes President of the Republic, he will not abuse his powers, I reply that a constitution is likely to last longer than a man and that the successors may have the temptation of personal power."

M. Pineau added: "It is not an absurd assumption to imagine for the Presidency of the Republic Thorez (Communist leader) against M. Massu (General Jacques Massu, leader of the May 13 Algiers takeover, and chairman of the committee of public safety for Algeria)."

"For my part, I am determined to vote 'No' at the referendum. I leave it to the electors to choose according to their conscience."—Reuter.

Candidate Dies

Concord, Aug. 31. Mr. George Fingold, the State Attorney-General, and Republican candidate for Massachusetts Governorship in November suddenly collapsed and died at his home here today. He was 40.

The State Republican Party will now have to hold an emergency session to choose a new candidate.—Reuter.

ROUND-UP

"COUGH-BOX" ALIAS "SIN-BIN" AT NEW CITY TEMPLE

THE new City Temple in Holborn Viaduct, London, "Cathedral" of the Free Churches, which just opened for services for the first time since it was bombed in 1941, is equipped with a "cough box." An ante-room has been provided at the back of the building for members of the congregation suffering from coughs or accompanied by children who chatter during services. Other names for the "cough box" include "cry box," the "chatter box," and "sin-bin." "We think it an excellent idea," Miss Alice M. Head, Hon. Secretary of the Building Committee says. "People who have troublesome coughs anxious not to disturb others can retire to this little ante-room and see and hear everything that goes on in the church through a wide window and a system of loud speakers."

AIR PROBLEMS

SENIOR R.A.F. and American Air Force officers are to meet later this year at the R.A.F. Staff College, Bracknell, to iron out technical problems which affect both air forces. The Americans will send 20 field officers to the liaison week which starts on October 5. Some will give lectures to R.A.F. officers. Later in the year a group of R.A.F. officers will lecture at the U.S.A.F. Air University at Maxwell, Alabama.

ROCKET CHIEF

BECAUSE, when in France, he noticed French people were correcting his grammar, Dr. William Hilton, one of Britain's leading rocket scientists, who holds every science degree bestowed by the University of London, has been attending evening classes at Coventry to brush up his French. Now he has been notified that he has passed the General Certificate of Education examination in the language. His marks were... 10 for oral French and 80 per cent for his French written paper. Dr. Hilton is chief aerodynamicist at the Coventry factory of Armstrong Whitworth Aircraft Ltd.

"I'M SORRY"

DON'T say "I'm sorry" to a policeman motorists are being advised by the Automobile Association on being stopped for an alleged minor traffic offence. The Association has carried out an analysis of hundreds of cases handled by their solicitors since the introduction of the Magistrates' Courts Act nearly a year ago, and although it is estimated that one driver in every six says "I'm sorry" when stopped by a policeman he usually gets a summons. More important is the fact that policeman quotes "I'm sorry" in his statement of facts it may sound to the magistrates that the words imply an admission of guilt.

TRIUMPHS

TEN years' old "Golden Boy" who pulls a milkcart most of his life in the New Town of Hatfield, Herts is going to an Aldershot jumping show at the end of this month. There is little doubt he will then gain his 100th award. In 99 appearances in the show ring he has only twice failed to finish in the first three. On past occasions he was fourth. He has won 59 first prizes and been placed second 33 times in light trade tournaments. Windsor, Richmond and the White City are just a few of the places at which he has triumphed. His quest for honours has in four years taken him nearly 10,000 miles.

"ONE-MAN" ANTI-TANK MISSILE

A PORTABLE guided weapon with which one soldier, it is claimed, could cripple a tank, has been developed for the first time by a private company after two-and-a-half years of pioneering work. Flying tests have shown that the problem of how to steer the missile in mid-air has been solved. "It is much the same in size as a 17-pounder, the difference being that it can be steered all the way to the target," said Mr. J. W. Dalgleish, an executive director of Pye Ltd, the Cambridge radio and radar makers which planned and built the missile. The missile is five feet long, has a span of two feet. The launching and control equipment is equally light and compact.

WIRRAL-SALERNO BOTTLE LINK

HOBBY of Mr. Albert Hagen, of Thornton Hough, Wirral, Cheshire is throwing bottles containing messages into the Mersey estuary. He has just had his most spectacular success to date—a letter from an Italian woman who got the message from his bottle after it was picked up in the sea off Salerno, Italy. He threw the bottle into the Mersey in February. It was found by a couple who were fishing off Salerno.

NEW DRESS FASHIONS FOR POLICEMEN

NEW dress fashions for British policemen which have been approved by the Home Secretary, Mr. R. A. Butler, include short-sleeved order in hot weather, open-neck jackets, shirts with pockets, lightweight trousers of the self-supporting type for summertime wear. Other recommendations the Home Secretary has accepted include a crash helmet, goggles, leather gloves, knee-length boots or leggings and a waterproof suit for men on motorcycling duties.

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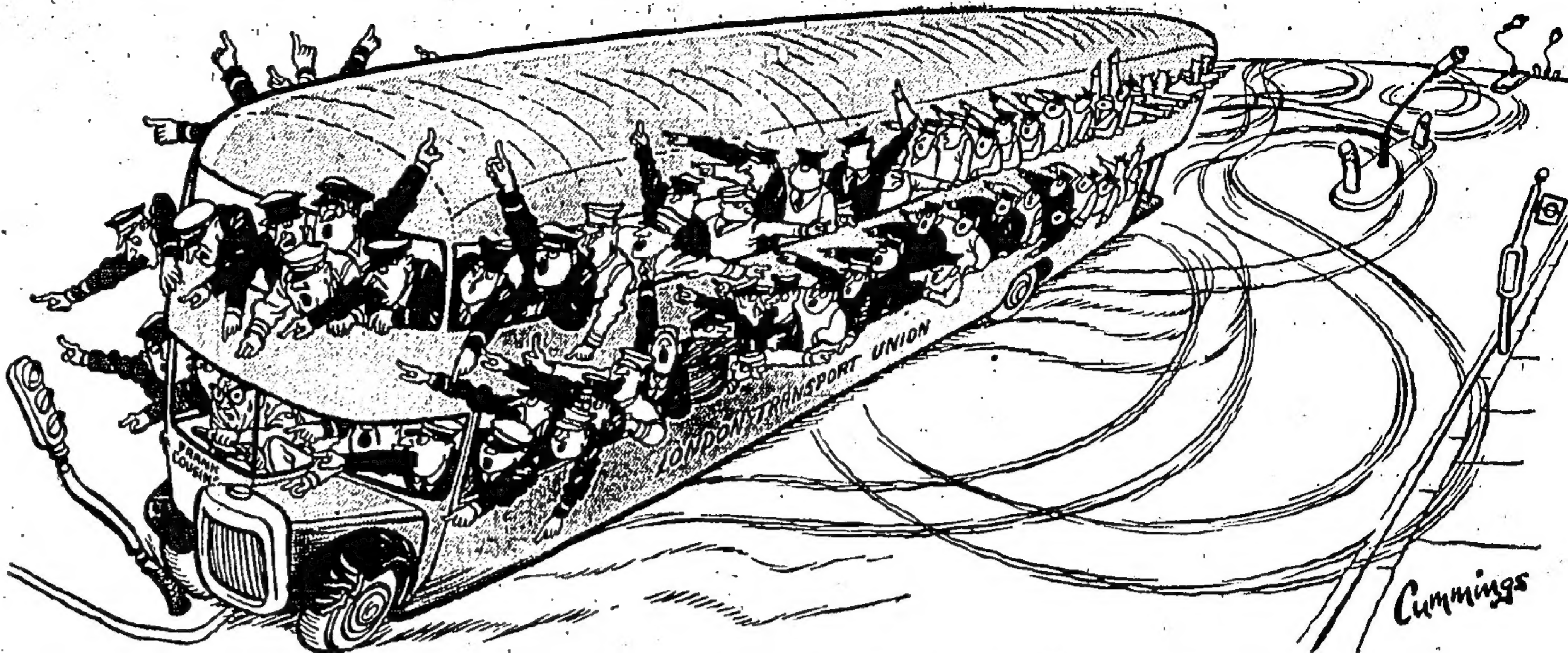
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The Richest Man In The World

SHEIKH Sir Abdullah Al-Salim Al Subah, ruler of Kuwait, is the richest man in the world.

Every year, the oil beneath his tiny kingdom earns him more than £100 million. That is more than £300,000 a day.

His potential wealth in untapped oil is reckoned to be about £8,500 million.

But Sheikh Al Subah is anything but carefree.

Much of his staggering wealth could disappear any day into the coffers of Nasser's rapidly-expanding United Arab Republic.

Kuwait, 6,000 square miles of sand on the Persian Gulf, teeters on the brink of a nationalist volcano. Next door in Iraq, rebels have seized control.

In Kuwait itself, Sheikh Al Subah's 1,000-strong army (supplemented by a para-military police force of 1,500) keeps one watchful eye on the Iraqi frontier, the other on 200,000 restless Kuwaitis.

No other Middle East potentate comes nearer than Sheikh Al Subah to the Westerner's romantic idea of what an Arab ruler should be.

He is tall, powerfully built, with stern features. He has a

grey, close-clipped beard. He has the far-away gaze of a desert rider—and the sun-etched crow's feet round the black depths of his eyes.

He owns a £1,500,000 palace. And he has four wives.

But the romantic Westerner would be disappointed with the other side of this Arabian Nights figure.

For 63-year-old Sheikh Al Subah suffers from gout. Sometimes the pain drives him into fits of temper; but mostly he is withdrawn, even shy—especially with foreigners.

Unlike other Arab rulers, he spurns flash American cars, has discarded a custom-built Rolls-Royce given to him by the Kuwait Oil Company, and lives in the modest style of a man who earns £1,000 a year.

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The rest of his vast income goes to Kuwait's treasury. It has been said that he spends no more than £10 a week on personal comforts.

In fact, the Sheikh is essentially a Moslem, devout, with simple tastes and a preference for quiet living.

While the richer of his countrymen hook their way round Kuwait in big American cars, Al Subah quietly confers with his advisers in his palace or at a lonely, island retreat near his home.

He smokes fifty American cigarettes in a week—the time it takes £2,000,000 to flow into Kuwait's reserves.

Quiet, impassive Al Subah brings the same frugality to his official life, too. Again unlike other Arab rulers, his palace is unpretentious. True, he employs a bodyguard, but it is little more than a token display.

He invariably travels incognito, shuns the limelight, and never talks about oil or money. Once he mapped at a reporter: "Why should newspapers inquire how I spend my money? I have too great a sense of delicacy to ask how newspaper owners spend theirs."

Contrary to gossip, Al Subah is a careful, almost penny-pinching spender abroad.

One day in a Paris shop he admired an expensive cigar box, told the expectant salesman he would "think about it," and left.

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It was on that same visit to Paris that French officials tried hard to manoeuvre him into oil negotiations. It was the wrong time. His gout was troubling him. Angrily, he refused to negotiate, pointing out that it was "strictly an unofficial visit," that his only language was his native Arabic, and that he was suffering terribly from his affliction.

Al Subah dresses simply. Sometimes he wears a black, camel-hair turban and a brown cloak over his white robes; other times, a plain white cotton head-dress.

The only evidence of wealth on his person is a glittering diamond ring on his left hand. Kuwait has no absolute rule of succession. When the ruler dies, the new one is chosen from among his relatives.

That is why, when Salim Al Mubarak Al Subah, ruler of Kuwait, died after the First World War, his eldest son, Abdullah did not immediately succeed to the throne, but gave way to his cousin, Sir Ahmed al Jabir Al Subah.



SHEIKH SIR ABDULLAH

Ahmed ruled until 1950—and in the style to which his late uncle had been accustomed. Rough medieval justice prevailed. Robbers had their hands amputated; murder with robbery meant the loss first of the culprit's hands, then his life.

Until 1946, Kuwait was poorer than a church mouse. Its only income was from dates and pearls. Then oil was discovered

and large-scale production began, with Britain's Anglo-Iranian Oil Company operating jointly with America's Gulf Oil in the venture.

Sheikh Al Subah succeeded to the throne in 1950. The next year, he signed a 50-50 agreement with the Kuwait Oil Company. In 1952, under this agreement, he received £22 million. In 1953, it was £50 million. In 1956 his share was £75 million. Last year, it was over £100 million. And production is increasing all the time.

Al Subah's skill as an administrator and negotiator is entirely self-taught. He was educated in Kuwait, a country which had no schools until 1936. This has probably influenced his method of rule, and helps to explain his subjects' regard for him. For Al Subah is first and foremost a Kuwaiti.

His sense of brotherhood with his people is stronger than protocol. Once, while Al Subah was opening a new refinery, a cripple emerged from the throng of spectators and began to hobble towards the Sheikh.

Al Subah's bodyguard met him half-way. The cripple gave them a paper. It was a petition. Then the cripple returned to his place in the crowd and the bodyguard retired behind the dais.

The Sheikh never paused in his speech. Al Subah is given all the credit for Kuwait's large-scale development programme.

It is his avowed intention to make Al Kuwait the "best and happiest" town in the Middle East, to provide every Kuwaiti with free, up-to-date education and medical services, as well as full employment with high salaries.

He has given his kingdom 36 state schools, three state hospitals, numerous clinics, a massive sea-water distillation plant

(for fresh water supply and hydro-electricity), and recreation grounds.

But, despite all this, he has shown no sign of moving towards Western political ideas, in his frequent daily meetings with his Ministers and subjects, he keeps abreast of Kuwaiti affairs. But all decisions are his to make, and they are law.

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Helping him run oil-rich Kuwait are Al Subah's numerous relations. To them are entrusted the twenty or so government departments. Before he succeeded to the throne, Al Subah himself was head of the Financial, Food and Health departments.

These days, no one helps Al Subah more than his uncle (though he is younger than Al Subah), Sheikh Abdullah al Mubarak, head of Public Security.

Mubarak has equipped his security force with armoured cars, 25-pounder guns and mortars. These were the arms that quelled disturbances at the time of the Suez crisis.

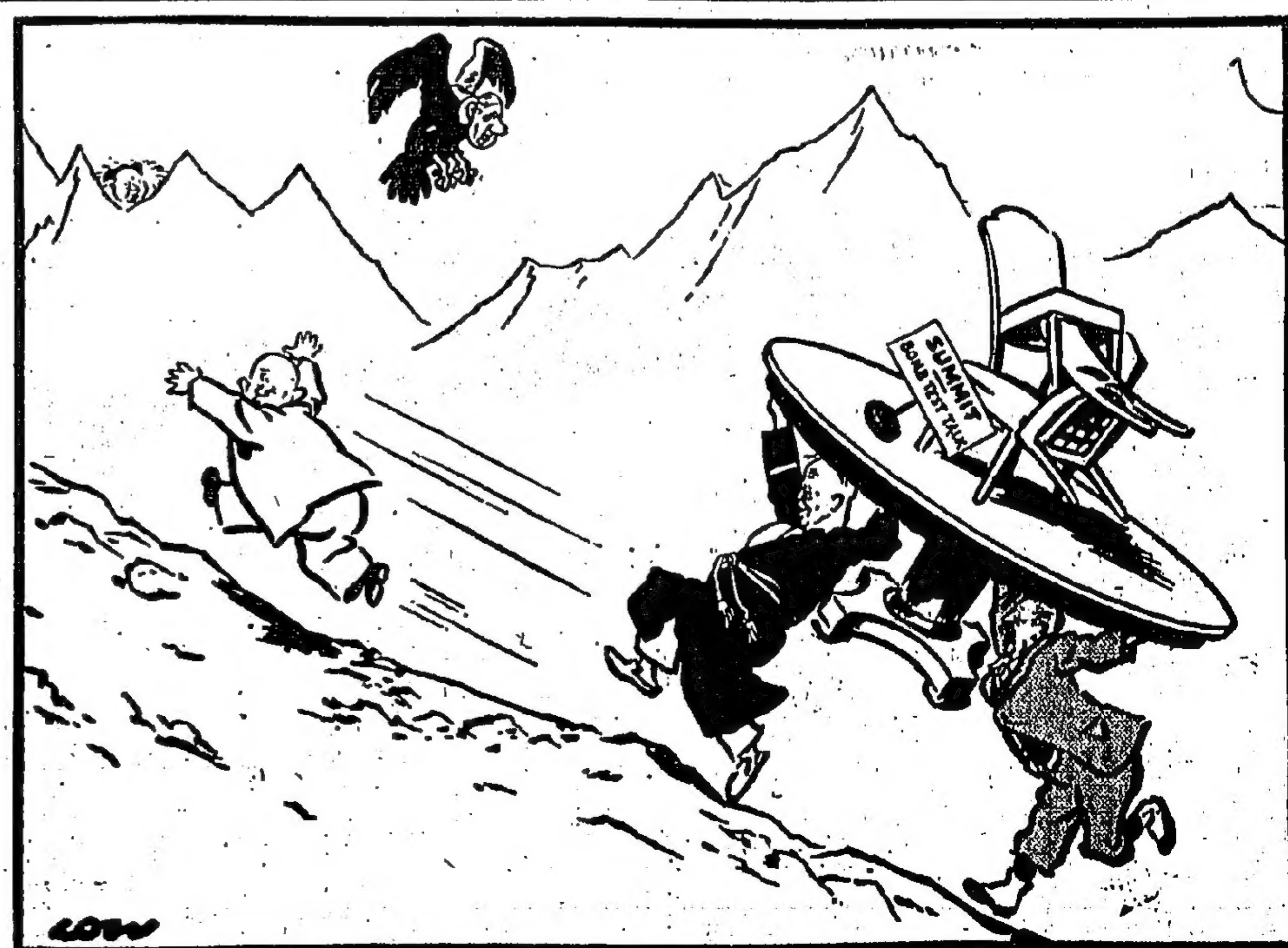
Curiously, although Al Subah is aware of the dangers of spreading nationalism, he apparently does nothing about it. To further his education policy, he had to turn to the only source of Arab teachers—Egypt. He must know these Egyptians are openly teaching the doctrines of Gamal Abdul Nasser.

He must know, too, that there is always a possibility of Iraqi aggression, for Iraq has long laid claim to Kuwait.

Backed by an unbending feudal system Al Subah perhaps thinks his powers are unchallengeable.

In any other period of history, he would have been right.

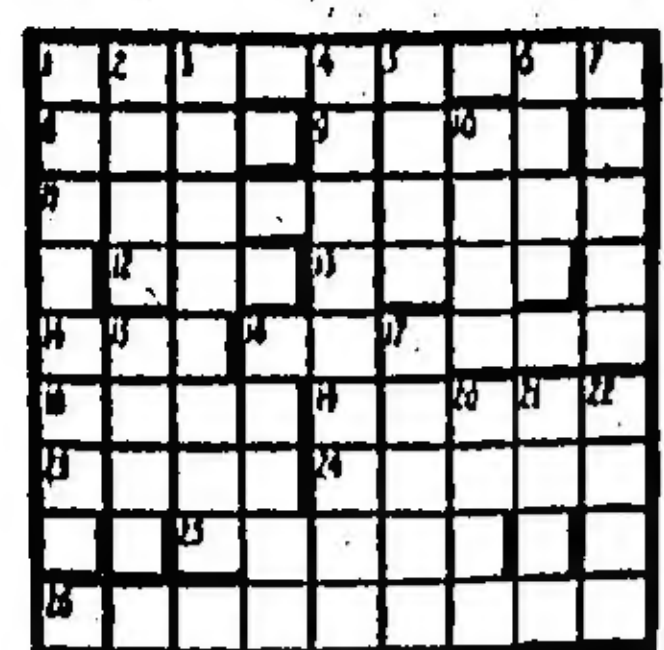
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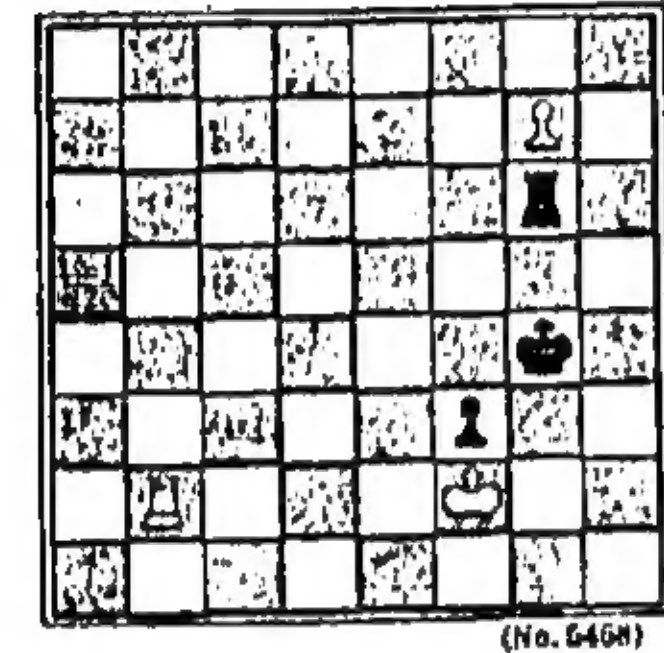


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Here is an ending from actual play. White to move and win. London Express Service

YOUR BIRTHDAY ... By STELLA

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

BORN today, you have a vigorous personality with energy to burn. You must have something constructive to go on, all the time if you are to keep out of mischief. You have an active mind, and as you grow older, you want to discover the "why" of things for yourself. Once your mind is made up to something, nothing will stop you from it until you have achieved your objective. You are sometimes criticised for this "self-centred" point of view, but it is something inherent in your nature.

You are an original thinker and diddle-diddle-diddle according to conventional patterns. You do have large profits, but there are always things you want to do yourself just to make sure they are done exactly as you want.

You have mastered this technique of being popular in mixed company. Your humble sincerity and honesty of character make you one to be respected wherever you are. You are a splendid friend, but could be a little harsher, if you feel you have been wronged.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—A fine day to deal with a new idea. Get it in production without any further delay.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—If you are looking for assistance on the job, you should discover plenty of willing applicants.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)—If money is owing you, make a serious effort to secure its return. Get together with the person involved now.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Should you happen to be job-hunting, the prospects are promising.

Have a good interview.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—A day to make up your mind. Especially in some matter which could show a quick profit in a fast turnover.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—Don't think twice before negotiating for a long-term loan. Try all other methods of financing first.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"What style do you suggest for my husband? He says he positively won't wear shorts!"



THE land of "Call Me Madam" is no comic opera state, as Ferle Mesta discovered to her surprise. It is a proud and serious nation with the world's senior reigning monarch.

Grand Duchess Charlotte, 61, ruler of Luxembourg for nearly 30 years, became the oldest living monarch when King Haakon of Norway died.

The country has about as large a population as Little Rock, Ark., or 12,000 persons. Rhode Island has 10 times the area of Luxembourg.

Mrs. Mesta, the first U.S. ambassador to Luxembourg, expected to find a comic opera state, she said. Instead, she left expressing admiration for the efficient steel mills, productive vineyards, the industrious people and their dignified monarch.

Grand Duchess Charlotte has two sons, four daughters and a dozen grandchildren. Her husband is Prince Felix of Austria.

She also manages to do some gardening at her country residence, Berg Castle, and tends the rose garden herself.

Grand Duchess Charlotte made Berg Castle her official residence soon after she ascended the throne in 1919. She did not like the tiny city palace, flanked by cafes and houses, so used it for official receptions only.

Her powers as a limited monarch roughly parallel those of Queen Elizabeth. She can veto acts of Parliament by refusing to sign them, but never has. She is a busy figurehead. The resemblance to the British royal family goes even further. The Grand Duchess renounces many persons of Queen Mother Elizabeth.

Daily she receives ambassadors, signs decrees and confers with her members of Parliament.

Any time a slam depends on a simple phrase it is a reasonable bid from the standpoint of mathematics. You have a 50-50 chance to make it and are risking just as much as you stand to gain.

A conservative pair might well have stopped at game with today's hand, but Vanderbilt winners Sam Fry and Lenny Harnett are not noted for conservatism.

West opened the three of spades and Sam, who was South, went into a long huddle. He has

been huddling for years, but unlike many players' huddles it seems that Sam's usually produce good results.

As a matter of strict mathematics when your side holds 10 trumps a finesse for the king will win half the time; the alternate drop play picks up the king only 26 per cent of the time.

When Sam came out of his huddle he decided to abandon mathematics and play dummy's ace. West could not expect that North would show up with the trump ace. He might have led from three to the king, but Sam knew that a doubleton lead was more likely. He played dummy's ace and dropped East's king to make his contract.

TODAY'S QUESTION
Your partner continues with a bid of four spades. What do you do now?
Answer Tomorrow

Like most European monarchs of an earlier era, the Grand Duchess was tutored behind palace walls by French and German professors.

She was not born to reign. Her elder sister, Marie-Adelinde, ascended the throne when their father, Grand Duke Guillaume died in 1914. Marie-Adelinde, a Roman Catholic, abdicated to enter a convent.

OCCUPIED BY GERMANS
It fell to Charlotte to lead her nation out of the German occupation of World War I and guide it from the chaos of the war to a model state with one of Europe's highest living standards.

The country's tranquility was shattered in May 1940, when Hitler's troops rumbled through the grand duchy. The royal family escaped over the border to France, helped by a gallant stand of a few gendarmes in front of the palace.—U.P.I.

Philadelphia. TWO "cowgirls" staged a unique "showdown" in a Philadelphia hotel lobby recently and wound up in a draw.

It was nothing like you see on TV. Not a shot was fired because the girls packed charm instead of 45's. Their draw was in the almost identical tales they told about running their own ranches.

The one big difference: one is a Texas ranch, the other is in Florida. The ranchers were brought together during the convention of Pilot International, a women's service organization, counterpart to the men's Rotary and Kiwanis.—U. P. I.

None of those manly-manly exercises but a couple of poppy ones that will get you going."

TV's favourite mother-in-law doesn't give a hoot that she's been over 35 for years.

WHY WORRY?
"Each age is interesting," she observes. "Anyway, if you look well and feel active, why worry about birthdays?"

Try to look youthful but don't overdo it, advises Spring. "Don't get carried away with young clothes or slather on too much make-up. Instead of disguising your age, you'll make yourself look older. Dress with taste, to lightly of make-up. Keep well-groomed."

Activity is important for the older woman.

"Exercise should be the byword," Spring insists. "You must have a daily set-up routine."

When a woman forgets glamorous things like using perfume, having her hair set a new way, you don't have to see her birth certificate to know she's old!

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They all saw it
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POWERBOAT RACING TRAGEDY

Australian Swimmers Leave For Taiwan

The Australian swimming team, who captured the hearts of Hongkong swimming enthusiasts during their brief visit here last afternoon for Taiwan by CAT where they will give a series of exhibitions.

They are due back in the Colony on Friday. Team Manager, Mr. George Phillips, said this morning that the team would not be giving any more exhibitions here, or in Malaya.

The Australians received an invitation from the Malaya Swimming Association, but Mr. Phillips said he had already called them saying they would not be able to make the trip. The team will leave Hongkong again on Saturday, homeward bound.

FINAL EXHIBITION

Last evening, the Australians gave their final exhibition here before another rapidly crowd at the Victoria Park pool, and although they walked away with minor honors, it was a team who stole the spotlight.

In the 100 metres freestyle, Australia's John Devitt and Gary Chapman placed first and second respectively. Devitt clocked his fastest time of the Hongkong tour with 56.3 seconds, but Wan Shu-mun, the Colony entry, edged out Geoffrey Shipton for third place.

Wan swam a great race throughout and is to be congratulated on his placing. He is the only swimmer to give a place against the Australians during their exhibitions here. He returned the time of 59.8 seconds.

Drobny Wins Austrian Tennis Singles Title

Portsmouth, Aug. 31. — Jurajek, Dobay of Egypt, former Wimbledon Champion, today won the Austrian Tennis Championship when he beat Ramonathan Krishnan of India in the men's single final by 6-3, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Angelo Mortino of Great Britain today beat Romanian Reyes of Mexico here to win the Austrian women's singles title. The score was 6-2, 6-3.

In the women's doubles final, the Mexican team of Miss Reyes and Miss Ramirez beat Miss Mortino and Miss Pochis (Austria) by 6-1, 6-10, 7-5. — France-Press.

FOREST HILLS TOURNNEY Crawford Scores Upset Victory Over Mackay

By OSCAR FRALEY

Forest Hills, Aug. 31. — Blonde Chris Crawford, 19, from Piedmont, California, ruined Barry Mackay's 23rd birthday and Davis Cup prospects today when he upset the Dayton Dandy, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3, in the second round of the U.S. Amateur Tennis Championships.

Mackay, one of America's brightest prospects for the approaching international events, couldn't cope with young Crawford's blinding service and withering assault at the net. His service was out of gear also as he was sent crashing to the sidelines in a major upset which Crawford ended with a match point ace.

Service Trouble

Crawford's conquest was the day's feature as the defending champion, Mal Anderson of Australia, slashed his way to a 6-1, 6-2, 7-5 victory over Peru's outclassed Eduardo Ruse to lead the field into the third round.

The Big Walk



Stanley Frank Vickers, the European walking champion, enters the grounds of the Stockholm stadium during the final of the 20-kilometre walking race, on the first day of the European Games, which were recently held there.

Vickers won the race not only to win the first gold medal of the Meet but also bring the first gold medal to England. — Central Press photo.

ELEVEN-YEAR-OLD RECORD BROKEN AT EUROPEAN SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Budapest, Aug. 31. — The European Swimming Championships got off to a cracking start at the Margaret Island Pool in Budapest today when Italy's Paolo Pucci broke an 11-year-old European record by clocking 56.1 seconds in a men's 100 metres semi-final heat.

The previous record was set up by Alex Jany of France in 1947 with 56.2 sec. Pucci today clocked 56.1 sec. in his first round heat before doing one better in the semi-finals.

Next best times in the men's 100 metres today were the 56.9 sec. recorded by Hungary's Gyula Dobay in the first round heat and the 57.1 sec. clocked by the Russian Viktor Polyakov in the semi-finals.

Took Limelight

Italy once again took the limelight in the men's 200 metres breaststroke event, when Roberto Lazari won his semi-final in 2 mins. 42 sec. The 1954 European Champion Klaus Bodinger of Germany clocked

second best time with 2 mins. 42.8 sec. He should give Lazari a good fight in the final.

The outstanding women's performance of the day was the 1 min. 47 sec. timed by the Dutch champion Cockle Gaslaghe in the women's 100 metres heat. This was a new championships record if not a new European record, as previously announced to the public.

A Class Above

The Dutch girl was a class above all her rivals, and best time of Sweden was almost a full second behind her in 1 min. 5.6 sec.

The Soviet girls dominated their rivals in the sprintboard diving semi-finals, Nina Krutova placing an easy first with 87.01 points and Valentina Gedeova second with 82.42 points.

The latter climbed from sixth to second place between the first round and the semi-finals, but is still trailed by Elizabeth Morris of Britain and others. — France-Press.

MONEY NOT EVERYTHING

Elliott Turns Down US\$240,000 American Offer

Melbourne, Aug. 31. — Herb Elliott of Australia, the world's fastest miller, has rejected a \$240,000 offer to go professional in the United States, a newspaper here reported today.

The local "Arboret" said American promoter Leo Levitt phoned Elliott from Australia with the offer. Elliott is here at present.

"I am absolutely not interested," Elliott was quoted as the reported offer. "No circus for me. I am only 20 years old and probably still have five years to run. I also want to win in the Olympic Games before I quit sport. Money is not all in this world."

Elliott was scheduled to go to America in his current status near April and then return to England and Scandinavia in the summer. — U.P.I.

Competitor Killed In Duke Of York Trophy International Race

Huntsville, Aug. 31.

Bill Braden, 52, of Waterdown, Ontario, was killed today when he was run over while driving in the Duke of York trophy international powerboat race.

Braden was driving "Aerial Fifth" when the hydro-plane apparently cracked up on a rock on the second turn of the two-mile triangular course.

The 10 entries, five Canadian and five from the United States, had just completed four laps of the 30-nautical mile stretch.

Braden was struck by "Six Ron Second" driven by Joseph Albee of Dearborn, Michigan.

Also Involved

Art Ashbury of Huntsville, driving "Miss Muskoka," was also involved in the accident but escaped injury.

"Suddenly," driven by Earl Schneider of Niagara Falls, New York, had a 20-lap lead when tragedy struck the rain-swept Fairy Lake course.

"Miss Muskoka" driven by Bill Braden of Waterdown, Ontario, was second with "Two Rods," driven by Howard Bucholtz of North Tonawanda, New York, five laps back in third place.

Today's race was the second heat of the \$10,000 Duke of York trophy competition, held outside England for the first time.

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Competition Cancelled

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Commodore Robert Finlayson of the Canadian Boating Federation today cancelled the 1958 Duke of York trophy races after Bill Braden of Waterdown, Ontario, was killed in a spill on stormy Fairy Lake.

Finlayson declared the race "no contest" after the tragedy but said he hoped permission would again be given to hold the 1959 event in Huntsville.

The gold-plated trophy, donated in 1923 by the late King George VI, then the Duke of York, will be shipped back to England. — U.P.I.

European Rowing C'Ships GERMANS WIN THE MULLEG CUP

Score Most Points In Men's Section

Poznan, Aug. 31.

The Mulleg Cup, awarded to the country scoring the highest number of points in the European men's Rowing Championships, was won today by Germany.

The Cup awarded for the first time this year, is named after the President of the International Rowing Federation who died recently.

The finals of the meeting, held today near here, confirmed the superiority of the Germans who won three gold medals, two silver medals, and one bronze medal.

Italy won one gold and one silver medal, the Soviet Union one gold and two bronze medals, Australia and Finland one gold medal each, Rumania two silver and one bronze medals, France and the United States one silver medal each, and Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia and Switzerland one bronze medal each.

Great Surprise

The great surprise of the championships was the Finnish victory in the coxed pairs. The United States, present for the first time at this meeting, failed to take the coxed eights title from the Italians, who beat them by more than three lengths.

The Soviet oarsmen, favorites in many of the events, used a style which proved less effective than that of the Western competitors. — France-Press.

Cycling Champ

Rheims, Aug. 31.

Ercolo Baldini, the Olympic champion, today won the professional road race in the World Cycling Championships here.

Always among the leaders, Baldini covered the 14-lap 172 mile course in seven hours 20 mins 32 sec at an average speed of 23.35 miles an hour. Second man home, in seven hours 31 mins 40 sec, was France's Louisien Bobet, three times winner of the Tour de France. — Reuters.

Channel Swim Winner



Greta Anderson, the Danish-born American recently swam the Channel in the record time of 11 hours for a woman, to win the event for the second time.

Photo shows Greta Anderson coming ashore near Dover harbour at the end of her record swim. — Central Press photo.

Sports Diary

TODAY

Colony Ladies' Championships: Mixed Doubles: Ladder: Doubles: Ladies' Singles: Inter-Club Handicap: Club Ladies' Open Singles at Liff.

Country Club: Junior Golf Day at Shek-O Country Club.

American Baseball Roundup YANKEES TRIUMPH 7-6 OVER SENATORS

Bob Turley Becomes First 20-Game Winner Of Season

New York, Aug. 31.

Bob Turley became the Majors' first 20-game winner of the season today although it was a struggle all the way and he was no longer around when the Yankees finally nailed down a 7-6 triumph over the Senators.

Turley left the game with two out and the bases full in the seventh. The Yankees were ahead 6-1 at the time and Ryan Duren pitched out of that jam.

In the ninth, Norm Zaichin hit a three-run homer off Johnny Kuckes in a four-run rally and Murray Dickson eventually got the final out.

Turley was the first Yankee pitcher to win 20 games since Bob Grant in 1954. Hank Bauer broke a 1-1 tie with a two-run homer off starter Russ Kemmerer in the fifth. From that point on, the Yankees scored in every inning but the eighth.

Tom Brewer won his fifth straight game as the Red Sox capitalised on a balk to beat the Orioles 3-2.

Extra Innings

Early Wynn pitched a two-hitter over the Tigers in pining the White Sox to a 3-0 victory. The only hit off Wynn was singles by Johnny Groth and Harvey Kuenn in the third and ninth innings.

Minnie Minoso's 11th inning home run gave Cleveland a 3-2 victory over Kansas City. The homer by Minoso was off Ralph Terry, who gave up five hits in going the route. Rocky Colavito hit his 33rd homer for the Indians in the seventh and his 34th in the ninth to send the game into extra innings.

The world champion Milwaukee Braves increased their National League lead to 6-12 games today when rookie Carlton Willey beat the Pittsburgh

Pirates 2-0 for his fourth shut-out and ninth victory at Milwaukee.

The Braves, who have only 24 games left to play, scored single runs in the first and seventh innings to hand Ron Kline his 13th loss.

Bases Full Homer

At San Francisco the Giants went into a tie for second place with the Pirates when they romped 14-2 over Los Angeles. Bob Schmidt homered with the bases filled in the first inning and drove in a total of six runs during the game to pace the Giants to their 13th win in 17 games with Los Angeles.

Willie Mays also homered for the Giants.

The Cincinnati Redlegs stretched their longest winning streak of the season to six games with 6-2 and 7-3 victories over the Philadelphia Phillies at Cincinnati. Johnny Tompke's three-run double was the key blow in the opener and Jerry Lynch's three-run homer the key hit of the second game. Harvey Haddix and Don Newcombe went the distance for the victors.

Al Dark aboard in the seventh inning to lead the Chicago Cubs to an 8-5 triumph over the Cardinals at St. Louis. Tony Taylor and Chuck Tanner also homered for the Cubs while Joe Cunningham connected for the Cardinals.

The Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Baltimore 000-020-000 3-2-0
Boston 000-020-000 3-2-0

Wilhelm (2-8) and Triandopoulos (10-10) and Baley, RF—Gernert (19th).

New York 000-121-201 7-6-1
Washington 000-000-014 0-3-1
Tulsa 000-000-000 0-3-1
Dickson (9) and Herr: Kemmerer, Cleveland (6). Tomarovsky (9). Griggs (6) and Courtney, WP—Turley (20-6). Liff—Bauer (11th). Zaichin (13th).
Detroit 000-000-000 0-2-1
Chicago 000-000-000 0-2-1

NATIONAL LEAGUE (1st Game)

Philadelphia 000-001-001 2-11-3
Cincinnati 000-000-000 0-11-0
Sempach, Meyer (7) and Topala; Haddix (6-7) and Baley, RF—Gernert (19th).

Philadelphia 000-000-000 0-5-3
Milwaukee 000-000-000 0-5-3
Kline (12-13) and Hall, Fales (7); Willey (8-4) and Groth (17-0).
Chicago 200-000-210 4-2-3
St. Louis 012-002-000 5-8-3
Drabowski, Phillips (3), Henry (1) and S. Tolan: Newman (7); Maglie, Mabe (4), Muffett (7), Wright (7) and Green, WP—Phillips (17-0).
Los Angeles 020-000-000 2-12-3
San Francisco 020-020-020 14-15-3

Koufax, Erskine (11), Birrer (2), McDevitt (7) and Rubeck: Miller (4-7) and Schmidt, LP—Koufax (9-0). Liff—Schmidt (13th), Mays (25th).

(2nd Game)
Philadelphia 000-000-000 3-11-2
Cincinnati 000-010-000 1-12-0

Roberts, Igarin (7) and Sawatski; Newcombe (9-11) and Burgess, LP—Roberts (14-13). Liff—Sawatski (9) (4th and 5th), Lynch (11th). —U.P.I.

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GAS FOR JOY



AMENDED LAWS TO BRING MORE ACTION AND INTEREST IN COMING RUGGER SEASON

By "PAK LO"

The start of the rugby season now approaches, and already most of the participants are training strenuously for the coming battles, with much puffing and panting and cursing of the carefree beer-swilling days of summer. This season also brings a new crop of amended Laws of the game, which, when they have been understood by the players and referees will greatly speed up the action, and increase the spectator interest.

To help players comprehend the latest changes in the Laws, it was hoped that that infamous player, Joe Bloggs would be appearing again in this column, tripping over Laws, referees and players alike in his usually unsuccessful attempt to follow the latest efforts of the Rugby Union.

However, Joe has decided that he now knows it all, and has become a referee, and so instead we shall have to rely on his cousin Joe Soap, to take his place as a player.

Lectures

The Referees Society will again be giving lectures on the "ins" and "outs" of the various new Laws before the season starts. The new amendments generally give more power to the referees, (that groin came, of course, from Joe Soap) who this season are in short supply in the Colony.

At the beginning of last season referees were appointed to games in rotation with the object of giving all the referees the same number of games. After a short period, and a few howls from various clubs, the system was changed and only the most experienced referees were put in charge of the Pentagonal games. Unluckily this meant that the five senior referees took charge of 26 games between them, while the other eleven referees shared only 14 games between them.

As the five senior referees will have left the Colony before the beginning of the season the brunt of refereeing will fall on those who were last season classed as less experienced referees.

Judging from the unkind comments passed last year, most players are, as usual, certain in their own minds that they know more of the Laws than the average of any referee. Since some of the greatest players have now "hung up their boots," I feel that they should be willing to step into the breach, and offer their services as referees.

Only Too Pleased

The Referees Society, who are a forgiving bunch, will be only too pleased to see such ex-players, and will be only too glad to let the tyro show his ability. Those who feel that a stern blast on the whistle is just in their line should contact W. C. Richardson, Esq., c/o H.K. & Shanghai Bank (Tel. 30221).

The Tournament this season will be held between the months of December and February inclusive, as it has been found that in previous years, other commitments in April invariably meant postponement of the closing games of the Tournament.

This year the Army are entering two XV's in the Tournament which will make it an even more exciting event than before, and it is to be hoped that after this sporting gesture they again will be among the leading XV's.

The "Friendlies"

The "friendlies" will take place before and after the Tournament, and this season at the request of the Army more Unit sides will be included in the "friendlies."

More use will also be made of the grounds at Set Keng and Stanley. From a spectator's point of view this will not be too inconvenient, as it has been arranged that all games will

either take place on the island or the mainland, but there will be no intermingling. In other words if there is a game at Stanley all the games will be on the island and vice versa.

The Rugby Union is also hoping to re-introduce, this time as a floodlight mid-week game, the local International which provided such wonderful crowd-drawers some seasons back.

At present the HKRU has no definite news of any tours to or from Hongkong, but they are in contact with various other Rugby Unions, and there is a possibility that there will be at least one Tourist XV coming later on in the season. Details of the fixture list will be printed in this column in the near future.

Fed Up With Badminton Says Ferry Sonnevle

Singapore, Aug. 31. Indonesian badminton star Ferry Sonnevle arrived in Singapore today on his way to Rotterdam, where he is a University student.

Asked about badminton by reporters, Sonnevle said "at the moment, I am a bit fed up with it."

He said he felt he was lucky to be alive after Djakarta-Bandung road incident.

The bus in which he was travelling swerved off the road, three people were killed. Reuter.

Week-End Lawn Bowls

HELEN KWONG AND SELINA SILVA ENTER THIRD FINAL IN LADIES' OPEN C'SHIPS

By ROBERT TAY

Craigengower's Miss Helen Kwong and Mrs Selina Silva, already co-winners of the Ladies' Open Triple event, achieved a rare feat yesterday when they defeated their club-mates Miss Perin Dhabhor and Mrs Elvie Tsok by 17-15 in the Pairs semi-final to enter their third final in the Colony Ladies' Open lawn bowls championships.

For Helen Kwong yesterday's win was a hat-trick in spectacular achievements. In the Triples final recently she and her team-mates fought back from a 4-18 deficit to win the match, and in her singles semi-final last week she again had to come from behind at 8-14 to beat Mrs M. Hetherington in a thrilling finish.

Brink Of Defeat

Yesterday, she was within the brink of defeat only to be saved on the 20th head by a tactical error by her opponents and a brilliantly executed last wood shot by herself.

At the 20th head, she and her partner were trailing behind by 10-15. Selina Silva drew in four shots from the forehead towards the narrow side, but Perin Dhabhor instead of trying to mix the woods, tried to draw in from the backhand and either went through or landed on the narrow side. Although Mrs E. Tsok managed to draw in the first and fourth shots later, Helen Kwong with her last wood managed to wick both shots off to register a count of five.

In the final head, Selina Silva laid a perfect touch and Helen Kwong added a second shot to win the match by 17-15.

Most Outstanding

Losers Miss Dhabhor and Mrs Tsok were definitely unlucky not to have won the game, for on the whole they played a more brilliant brand of bowls than their opponents.

Mrs Elvie Tsok was easily the most outstanding among the four bowlers on view. On nearly every head, her woods did the damage. On the 15th

head with the score at 11-9 in her favour, opponents were lying six shots when she came in with a heavy draw around a partial blocker to register the first shot. Even on the crucial 20th head, when her side lost a five after leading by 15-10, she drew in the first shot after her opponents had built four, only to see Helen Kwong come in with the winning shot.

In the other ladies' semi-final, Talkoo Club's Mrs M. Mian and Mrs E. McLeod were given a hard fight by Mrs C. C. Ma and Mrs D. Baker of KCC before winning by 27-20.

The Men's Pairs quarter-finals saw the holders E. G. Barros and F. Lee gain a comfortable 28-13 win over their Craigengower club-mates C. K. Sung and W. C. Young.

Best Win

Best win among the four games was that of the two young brothers L. A. Marques and A. B. Marques of Recreio, who eliminated the highly favoured pair of A. M. Alves and J. S. Landolt by 21-20 in a close finish.

The League matches on Saturday saw the conclusion of the first division league. Match of the afternoon was that between Craigengower and Indian Recreation Club. By virtue of their 4-1 win Craigengower ended their season as runners-up in this division.

Of interest in this match was also the race for the position of champion skip this season. George Hong Choy's four just managed to pip out Jackie

Noronha's and A. K. Mina's four by half a point to earn that title for this year.

The second division matches produced no changes in the race for the division's honours, both Filipino Club "B" and Indian Recreation Club winning their respective games by 4-1. The final between these two teams has been scheduled to take place at the Filipino Club this Sunday.

LADIES' OPEN PAIRS

(Semi-Finals)
Miss Helen Kwong and Mrs Selina Silva (CCC) beat Miss Perin Dhabhor and Mrs Elvie Tsok (CCC) 17-15.

Mrs M. Mian and Mrs E. McLeod (TC) beat Mrs C. C. Ma and Mrs D. Baker (KCC) 27-20.

MEN'S OPEN PAIRS

(Quarter-Finals)
E. G. Barros and F. Lee (CCC) beat C. K. Sung and W. C. Young (CCC) 28-13.
J. Chubb and T. E. Baker (KCC) beat J. Hoosen and S. Bucks (IRC) 21-18.
L. A. Marques and A. B. Marques (Recreio) beat A. M. Alves and J. S. Landolt (KCC) 21-20.

P. H. Shaw and F. O. Madar (CCC) beat L. M. Neves and R. M. V. Ribeiro (FC) 21-19.

FINAL SKIPS' AND LEAGUE TABLES FOR 1ST DIVISION LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE

The following is the final skips' table for all skips who have played five matches or more in this season's first division league:

SKIPS' TABLE

	P	W	L	T	SP	SA	SU	BD	Pts
G. Hong Choy (CCC "A")	10	12	4	1	352	294	59	—	12
J. E. Noronha (Rec "A")	10	11	4	1	344	270	74	—	11½
A. K. Mina (IRC)	10	11	3	1	331	252	79	—	11½
C. Rosa-Pereira (Rec "A")	10	11	3	1	312	254	58	—	11
J. S. Landolt (KCC)	10	10	8	1	314	306	14	—	10½
E. L. Leonard (CCC "A")	10	8	2	2	306	296	10	—	9
W. Hong Sling (KCC)	10	9	7	1	324	310	14	—	9
M. E. Parvle (KCC)	10	9	7	1	294	254	10	—	9
W. Davidson (KCC)	10	8	8	1	304	232	71	—	8½
T. E. Baker (KCC)	10	8	7	1	235	254	11	—	8
A. Skerch (KCC)	10	8	7	1	273	230	—	—	8
U. A. Ransjahn (IRC)	10	8	7	1	194	171	—	—	8
C. McLennan (TC)	10	8	9	1	279	236	—	—	7½
G. Coloe (KCC)	10	8	9	1	276	306	—	—	7½
C. E. Passos (Rec "B")	10	5	9	2	221	322	—	—	6
B. Marshall (TC)	10	5	9	2	254	232	—	—	6
G. A. Souza (CCC "A")	10	5	9	2	171	139	32	—	5½
C. P. Souza (Rec "B")	10	5	9	2	185	154	31	—	5½
A. R. Ribeiro (IRC)	10	5	9	2	148	124	24	—	5
T. Kavanagh (KCC)	10	5	9	2	174	175	—	—	5
F. V. Ribeiro (Rec "B")	10	5	9	2	225	207	—	—	5
M. G. Wong (CCC "B")	10	5	9	2	230	237	—	—	5
B. F. Lee (Rec "A")	10	4	10	2	150	121	29	—	4½
W. Neume (TC)	10	4	10	2	175	175	—	—	4½
L. F. Xavier (Rec "A")	10	4	10	2	134	137	—	—	4
F. O. Madar (CCC "B")	10	4	10	2	137	143	—	—	4
C. C. Pereira (Rec "B")	10	4	10	2	114	143	—	—	4
W. Williamson (KCC)	10	4	10	2	130	147	—	—	4
T. A. Leonard (CCC "B")	10	3	11	2	200	312	—	—	3½
G. Clayton (TC)	10	3	11	2	125	104	—	—	3½
J. B. Baker (TC)	10	3	11	2	110	110	—	—	3
J. Paul (CCC "B")	10	3	11	2	65	153	—	—	3

LEAGUE TABLE

	P	W	L	T	SP	SA	SU	BD	Pts
Recr "A"	10	3	7	—	1003	947	157	—	50
CCC "A"	10	3	7	—	1030	884	146	—	52½
IRC	10	3	7	—	990	902	88	—	43½
KCC	10	3	7	—	1016	920	96	—	44½
KCC	10	3	7	—	930	919	37	—	41½
Recreio	10	3	7	—	1036	922	—	—	47
KCC	10	3	7	—	890	862	—	—	40
TC	10	3	7	—	925	925	—	—	41
CCC "B"	10	2	8	—	745	1013	—	—	29½

One walkover was awarded to KCC by CCC "B". Five points have been added to the CCC "B" total, but no more have been given them in this column. Their regular skips have each been credited with one point.

Five Records Set In Final Day Of International Military Athletic Meet

Brussels, Aug. 31.

Five games records were set in the final ten events of the International military track and field championship meet today.

Two of the records were set by Americans, with Ken Bantum putting the shot 16.64 metres (54 feet, 7½ inches) and Ernie Shelton high jumping two metres (6 feet, 6¾ inches). The other record breakers were Cavalli of Italy in the 100-m, step and jump, Italy's G. Lievore, javelin, and Hietos of Greece in the 5,000-metre run. A daylong fog hung over the stadium where some 3,000 spectators watched the games. Results were as follows:

100 METRES FINAL
1. Nielsen (Norway) 10.6 secs.
2. Vercautse (Belgium) 10.8 secs.
3. Mac Grumby (US) 10.8 secs.

400 METRES HURDLES FINAL
1. Silvenoinen (Finland) 53.8.
2. Daneshiti (Italy) 54.3.
3. Thomas (Greece) 55.2.

800 METRES FINAL
1. Sowell (US) 1 min 50.6 secs.
2. Baraldi (Italy) 1 min 50.8 secs.
3. Curatlis (US) 1 min 50.8 secs.

5,000 METRES FINAL
1. Hietos (Greece) 14 mins 30.8 secs. (A new championship record).
2. Tor Torgensen (Norway) 14 mins 31.8 secs.
3. Begay (France) 14 mins 33.4 secs.

SHOT-PUT
1. Bantum (US) 16.64 metres. (A new Championships record).
2. Tsakanikas (Greece) 16.47.
3. Thomas (France) 16.31.

HOP, STEP AND JUMP
1. Cavalli (Italy) 16.30 metres. (A new Championships record).
2. Davis (US) 14.70.
3. Anderson (US) 14.29.

JAVELIN THROW
1. G. Lievore (Italy) 74.62 metres. (A new Championships record).
2. C. Lievore (Italy) 74.40.
3. Cantello (US) 72.53.

4 x 100 METRES RELAY
1. Italy (Doccardo, Damach, Ghisetti and Dravi), 41.3 secs.
2. United States (Goody, McGrumby, Haddock and Vaughan), also 41.3 secs.

4 x 400 METRES RELAY
1. United States (Ferry, Caratlis, Schermerhorn and Sowell) 3 mins 13.1 secs.
2. France (Degats, Vervoort, Jazy and Dibonda) 3 mins 15 secs.
3. Italy (Mastroleni, Loddo, Orlando and Pancera) 3 mins 15.5 secs.—U.P.I. and France-Press.

3. France (Sixt, Meunier, Dufrenoy and Balague) 42.9 secs.

Vancouver Centennial Golf Tournament

Vancouver, Aug. 31. The Vancouver Centennial golf tournament took a one-day recess today and Jim Furee, the newest sensation in golf, will take a four-stroke lead into the final round tomorrow.

There was no competition today because of the Sunday holiday.

Furee, with rounds of 69, 61 and 69, made a heavy favourite to take the top prize of \$3,400. He was 17 strokes under par for the first 54 holes. His closest threat is 34-year-old Fred Hawkins of El Paso, Texas, who had a third round 64 for a 203 total.—U.P.I.

HONGKONG BEAT VIETNAM IN ROUGH GAME

Kuala Lumpur, Aug. 31.

Hongkong beat Vietnam 5-3 in the Merdeka soccer tournament tonight in a game marked by constant rough play. Hongkong led 3-0 at half time. Vietnam scored its first goal ten minutes after half time and added two more in the next fifteen minutes.—U.P.I.

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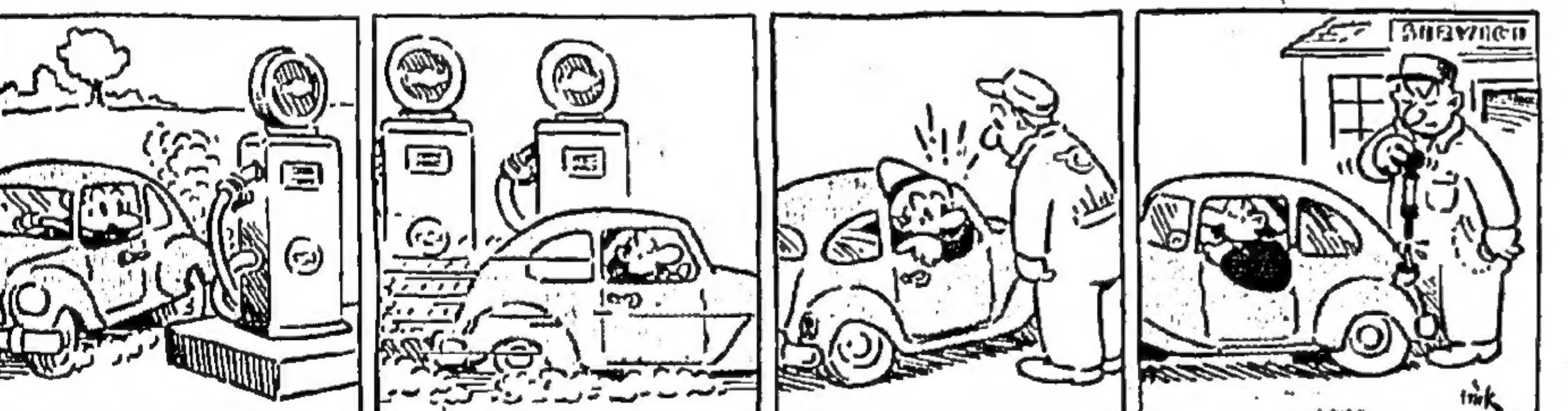
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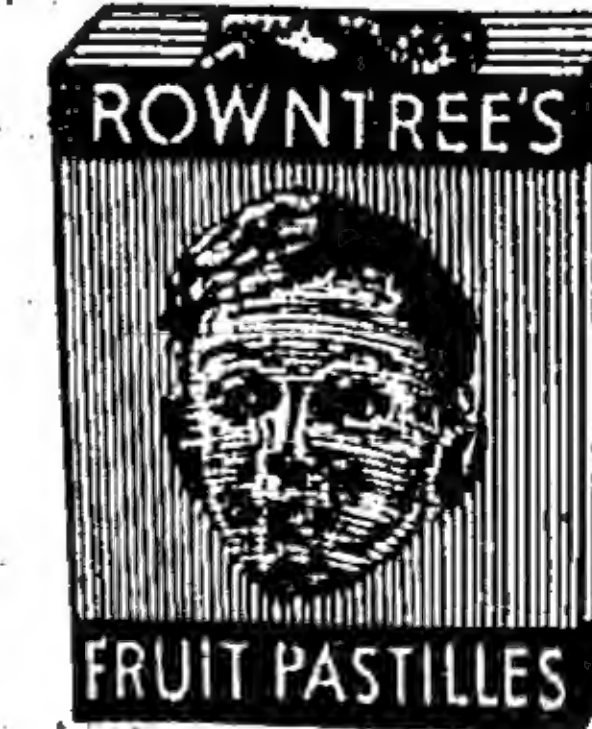
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MAN CHARGED WITH AXE MURDER

Insanity Plea By Defence NO MOTIVE

An alleged axe attack on a fellow worker without any previous argument or struggle was described by Mr Desmond Mayne, Crown Counsel, at the trial of a 30-year-old carpenter, Lam Shiu-leung, charged with murder before Mr Justice J. R. Gregg at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

Lam was alleged to have murdered his colleague, Leung Wai-piu, on May 23.

Pleading not guilty, he was represented by Mr Oswald Cheung.

Mr Mayne told an all-male jury that the accused and the deceased both worked in a carpenter shop in 92 Catechick Street. At about 8 p.m. on May 23, while the deceased was working in the shop painting Chinese characters on wooden barrels, the accused came along and inflicted a number of wounds on him with an axe. Prior to doing this, Mr Mayne continued, there was no argument, dispute, nor struggle, and the offence appeared to be one done on the spur of the moment. Neither was there any motive or premeditation, he added.

Eight Wounds

There was a total of eight wounds on the deceased's head and body. While other people went to the wounded man's assistance, the accused went off and dialled "999." When he returned, he poured some tea on Leung's head.

The injured man was subsequently taken to the hospital but died from the injuries he had received.

Murder, Crown Counsel continued, was the unlawful killing of a person and at the time of the killing there was the intention either to kill the person or do him grievous bodily harm.

Mr Mayne said the Defence had raised the question of insanity and maintained that that was the state of mind of the accused at the time of the incident.

Counsel added that there were the medical reports by Dr P. M. Yapp and Dr R. D. Seriven, and Mr Mayne said he could tell the jury that in the view of the Crown, a verdict of "guilty but insane" would be a proper verdict to return.

Hearing is continuing.

Chinese TV

Paris, Aug. 31. China's first television station in Peking will start transmissions on September 2, Radio Peking announced today. — France-Press.

PAKISTANI DOCTOR IN COURT

September 24 and 25 were the days set by Mr A. L. Leathlean at Central Magistracy this morning for hearing of the case against a 50-year-old Pakistani doctor of homoeopathy, Mohammed Ismail Khan, of Room 514 Sun Kwong Hotel, Connaught Road West.

The defendant, charged with indecently assaulting a European woman, had two additional charges—indecently assaulting a Chinese woman and possession of penicillin without a licence—preferred against him by Chief Detective Inspector J. Holden, prosecuting.

ASSAULT

The defendant is alleged to have assaulted the European woman at his address on August 10 and the Chinese woman on August 21, when he also had in his possession one tube of crystalline penicillin for which he had no licence.

Naro is represented by Mr V. L. J. Dalton.

Motor Scooter Collides With Car

Mr Koo Chai-bun, aged 51 years, of No. 6 Fenwick Road, second floor, was injured on Saturday when the motor scooter he was riding collided with a private car in Nathan Road near the junction of Dundas Street. He was detained in Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Jewellery Theft

Gold jewellery and cash to the value of \$4,224 were stolen from No. 131 Wanchai Road, first floor, between 12 noon and 2 p.m. yesterday.

Deaf Children See Over British Ship



A group of happy smiling faces have fun with the mirror on the compass—a photograph taken by a China Mail cameraman during today's visit by 40 deaf children to the BSN company ship, Santhia.

POLICEMAN FIRES ON FLEEING BEGGAR AFTER NATHAN RD STRUGGLE

A young beggar who struggled with a Police Constable in Nathan Road yesterday morning, and who was struck by a bullet when the PC opened fire with his revolver as he ran away, appeared in Kowloon Court this morning before Mr T. L. Yang, charged with assaulting a Police Officer.

He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five months hard labour.

The defendant, Chung Kam-chuen, 20, was sitting in Nathan Road, opposite the Shamrock Hotel, when PC 3254, Luk Kai-hung, came along, chasing hawkers and beggars away. He asked the defendant to leave, but Chung refused and jumped up and struck the PC with a four-foot piece of bamboo.

DENTED HIS CAP

The bamboo hit the peak of the PC's cap, denting it. The defendant then ran across the road, but was caught there again by the PC.

In the struggle that followed, the beggar hit the PC again with the bamboo, and when the PC fell to the ground he hit him once more.

The Constable then got to his feet and drew his truncheon to apprehend the defendant. As he did so, defendant struck his arm with the bamboo and continued to struggle.

Finally, the PC drew his revolver. Defendant started to run away, so the Constable opened fire. Of his four shots, one struck the defendant on the head.

In Court this morning it was found the PC suffered a torn shirt, a black eye and a large lump on his forehead. The prosecuting officer, Det. Sub-Inspr. Chan Chuck-kay, remarked "It was lucky the Constable was wearing his hat, he might have been killed."

Further Remand For Six On Forged Banknotes Charge

Four men and two women, who appeared before Mr Hin-shing Lo at Central Magistracy this morning, charged with possession of 177 forged US\$20 banknotes, were remanded seven days for further inquiries.

Defendants are Cheung Yam-chi, 30, housewife, of Room 201 Luna Apartments, Leighton Road; Chiu Mei, 60, unemployed, of 230 Gloucester Road, second floor; Chu Hing-tsang, 51, manager, of 702 Luna Apartments, Leighton Road; Kwok Lai-yung, 23, of 5 San Wai Street, ground floor; Wong Tak-sang, 57, unemployed, of 19 Tai Tuk Street, North Point, first floor; and Chan Sau-heung, 46, manager, of Foreign Associates, Ltd., of 407 King's Road, second floor.

They are alleged to have had in their possession without lawful authority or excuse, 177 forged US\$20 banknotes, as 56A-50A Leighton Road and 467 King's Road, second floor last Friday.

First, second and fourth defendants were allowed bail of \$20,000. Third and sixth defendants were also allowed bail of \$20,000, or half cash and half surety. The third and sixth de-

fendants were represented by Mr Carlos Remedios of Phillip Remedios Company, and Mr H. L. Hu, instructed by Mr P. L. Lam of Messrs P. L. Lam Company respectively.

Det. Sub-Inspector H. N. Whiteley, of the Commercial Crime Office, who is in charge of the case, opposed bail for the 17th defendant. D.S.I. Whiteley said that further charges might be preferred against him.

Political Clash

Dakar, Aug. 31. Two Senegalese were killed and 17 wounded in clashes between supporters of two opposing political parties on the eve of local elections held today at Louga, north of Dakar, police reported. — Reuters.

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Kowloon Church Silver Jubilee

By A CHINA MAIL
REPORTER

This year is the Silver Jubilee of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong, which members of the Church will be celebrating tomorrow.

H.E. the Governor, Sir Robert Black, will attend the celebrations, and the Dean, the Very Rev. F. S. Temple, representing the Bishop, will preach the sermon.

Lady Black, and her two daughters, Barbara and Kathryn Black, will also attend the service at 6.30 p.m. in the evening.

At 8 p.m. there will be a dinner in the Parish Hall which some 180 members of the congregation will attend.

In 1833, the Rt. Rev. R. Hall, dedicated a small church house in Duke Street, which was the beginning of Christ Church. Soon the congregation grew and the church house became too small to hold everyone.

Three years later a site was decided upon in Waterloo Road, and the opening service of the new Church, Christ Church, took place on July 27, 1837.

Christ Church was consecrated a year later and the service was attended by the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote and Lady Northcote.

Man Charged With Possession Of Arms

Chan Wo, 37, an unemployed man, appeared before Mr T. L. Yang at Kowloon Court this morning charged with possession of arms and ammunition without a licence, and two further charges of robbery with aggravation.

The defendant was remanded for three days in Police custody. It is alleged that on August 30, at Cheung Chau, the defendant had in his possession two revolvers and 30 rounds of ammunition without a licence.

It is also alleged that the defendant, on March 24 and July 9, at the Tai Ming Goldsmiths Shop, robbed Law Ho, of 86 gold necklaces, nine gold bracelets and 11 gold finger rings, to a total value of \$14,289.

Typhoon 'Grace'

At 9 a.m. this morning, the Royal Observatory reported that Typhoon Grace was centred within 540 miles ESE of the North Eastern tip of Luzon, moving WNW at about 30 knots.

A 38-year-old police constable, Nor Mohammed alias Ma Chung-look, and a 25-year-old clerk of the Hongkong Traffic Department, Wong Ping-kuen of 661 Canton Road, second floor, were both found not guilty, by Mr E. Corbally at Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of conspiracy.

The two men were alleged to have conspired together with other men, on July 12 last year, to alter a driving licence so that another person could use it.

Mohammed was detained by Mr G. Hampton of Messrs Hastings and Company while Wong was defended by Mr G. A. do Basto instructed by Mr G. S. Ford of Ford, Kwan and Company.

Collision

Calto, Aug. 31. A number of seamen were slightly injured when a British freighter and a Spanish tanker were in collision five miles south of Suva today.

Both the freighters—the 6,042-ton Langleyclayde—and the tanker—the 13,058-ton Albura—were slightly damaged above the waterline. — Reuters.

Young Boy Hurt

An 11-year-old Chinese boy was knocked down and injured by a bus at the junction of Nathan Road and Nanking Street yesterday afternoon.

The boy, Lo Kit-chee of No. 63 Woosung Street, third floor, was sent to Kowloon Hospital, where he was detained for treatment.

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HONGKONG is to have a Navy Day on Trafalgar Day, October 21. The programme will follow the lines of the British Navy Week, thus giving local residents an opportunity to look over the various classes of ships stationed here.

The Commodore, Capt. Frank Elliot, O.B.E., R.N., today informed the China Mail that the object of the celebration was the fostering of better relations between the residents of Hongkong and the Royal Navy.

There will be two cruisers from the 8th Destroyer or Flotilla and several submarines in port and we intend to show the Hongkong public some of the workings of submarines and destroyers in the Naval Basin, the Commodore said.

The Commodore stressed the possibility of the formation of a Hongkong Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, which though turned down in 1922—when the Labour Government was in power, would now probably meet with success.

Capt. D. Euan Wallace, Civil Lord of the Admiralty will be arriving in the Colony on October 10.

The condition of the reserves, coupled with the continued drought, is causing considerable anxiety to the authorities, and it has become necessary to restrict further the present hours of supply to all parts of the island. However, the present supply of 10 hours daily on the mainland will be maintained.

The Water Authority notifies the public that as from Saturday, September 6, a six-hour supply will be introduced, and that in all districts, except the Peak, the hours of supply will be from 6-9 a.m., and from 4.30-7.30 p.m.

Bird's Eye: "Grhha," growled the songwriter, as he slung his wife through the French window and returned once again to settle down and write a line to rhyme with "Love is the one flower that never fades."

THERE is every possibility that the Combined Australian Universities Rugby Union team will play against the Hongkong Rugby Club at the Valley, when they pass through here on their way to Japan. Should this match not materialise, the Australian team will play on Saturday, February 24, next year, as their way home.

J. H. McElroy, the Club skipper, said yesterday he was very pessimistic regarding the game, but was awaiting a reply from the team's manager.

He recalled that the Japanese refused to allow the Canadian team which visited Japan last year to play en route. He was afraid the Japanese might force the Australians to adopt the same principles.

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